

DECATUR, ILLINOIS, SUNDAY MORNING, APRIL 1, 1923.

Ahoy Landlubber, Boat Show Opens Next Friday

All Kinds of Water Craft to Be Shown for Three Days in First Exhibit.

BY SKIPPER BOB.

"All hatches battened down and deck cargo under double lashings. Let 'er blow. We're set for three days of heavy weather," was the report of the Commodore Saturday night.

"When'll she hit?" we inquired.

"The barometer is falling fast. She's rolling up thick now on the starboard quarter and I look for her to strike us 'midships about Friday," was the reply.

"Where is this 'midships place?" we asked in ignorance. Things were getting pretty nautical for a landlubber.

"Why, at Franklin and William, of course," the commodore replied.

ALL THE BIG BOAT SHOW!

Then we fell for it. The Commodore was talking about the big boat show that is scheduled to open Friday and was only explaining in his saltiest manner that everything was set for the first day. After we got the hang of it, it came easy. It probably will be that way with the Decatur drifflanders until after the show. Probably half of us will not know the difference between a hydroplane and a sponson-equipped canoe at the beginning, but three days of the show will be a liberal education, and by the time it is over we may be hailing our friends with a cheery "Ahoy there mate," and horn-piping instead of Friscoing.

Down at Franklin and William streets in the new Shellabarger building they are polishing up the paint-work, sanding the decks and getting things all ship-shape for the opening of the show. The boat dock is large enough to house all of the craft that are scheduled to show with accessories of every type washing around in the scuppers.

SEVENTEEN ENTRIES

The ship's clerk, Bill Shellabarger reports that a cargo of seventeen entries are ready to be hoisted aboard. They include every type of craft and a lot of the necessary impedimenta of sail, motor, oar and paddle-propelled boats. In addition to that there will be a lot of interesting and instructive exhibits that will be of interest to those who are figuring on building boats for the coming season.

One of the main features of the show will be the skeleton hull of a boat in process of construction, showing the manner in which a real boat should be put up to make it seaworthy. The skeleton is a hull made by R. K. Shaffer and will be of a 28-foot 5-inch V-bottom boat that is under construction for W. L. Shellabarger.

FINE PLEASURE BOAT

Mr. Shaffer has gone to a lot of trouble to have this exhibit ready for the show. It will be all set up permanently for the three days and then torn down entirely after the show closes, to be joined again with special fittings that could not be secured in time for the show. The craft is to be a sedan-cabined pleasure boat.

made of mahogany and will be a beautiful job. The cabin is covered similar to the sedan type automobile with glass windows letting down into the hull and elegant fittings throughout.

Frank Post's hydroplane, the boat that is at present the speediest thing in this part of the country, will be of interest to those who have seen the tiny scooters tearing up the waves in the moving pictures. Equipped with a ninety-horsepower Curtiss aeroplane motor, that is converted into a marine type, the little 17-foot 10-inch craft is expected to show some real speed.

Mr. Shaffer is also constructing a larger boat, a duplicate of the W. L. Shellabarger craft, that will be used by Frank Post for a pleasure cruiser.

SAIL BOAT, TOO.

Dr. C. M. Wood has entered the only sail boat so far. It is probable that the white-winged craft will be popular on the lake before many seasons and those who view the boat at the show can see just how the rig is made, learn the use of the center-board and gather some of the jargon of tacks and reefs that go with that type of boating.

Commodore Donald Willard will have his speedy V-type runabout on display as will R. B. Shaw, Mr. Fletcher, J. A. Krueger, Roy Tarrish and the Decatur Water Supply company. In addition to these boats there will be numbers of various type canoes, both those equipped for paddling and those that goot along under sail or are propelled by "lickers" or outboard motors. Then, too, the row-boat, that reliable standby, will be well represented.

THREE DAYS

For three days—Friday, Saturday and Sunday of this week—the public will be given the opportunity of seeing the pioneer craft that will be the first to take water in Decatur's new lake. Not many days will pass before constant additions by new devotees of the sport will have added to the Decatur fleet until it is not a boastful prediction that Decatur will soon have as large a quota of boats and boaters as many another city on larger waters.

FILL 544 PLACES OF EMPLOYMENT

Bureau Asked to Supply 712 During Month.

Five hundred and forty-four places filled by the state free employment bureau office at Decatur during March, one of the best months for this time of year that the office has had for some time.

The demand for help is shown by the fact that employers asked for 712 employees during the month. Of the total number placed during the month 470 were men and sixty-eight were women.

The demand for workers increased steadily during the month and during the last week an average of twenty-five a day were placed.

The demand for farm labor continues unabated, particularly the call for single men. The bureau is about seventy-five behind in filling the orders for farm help.

NO WIND ENDS KITE CONTEST

Pines Affair to Be Tried Next Saturday.

A March wind that failed to blow, trees with far-reaching limbs, and a few assorted telephone, telegraph and electric wires conspired to wreck the Pines kite-flying contest Saturday afternoon and after an hour or more of effort to keep their kites up and free from all entanglements, the lads who had come with their kites to try for the baseball goods that were offered as prizes gave it up for a bad job and adjourned until 1:30 p. m. next Saturday when conditions may be more favorable.

The unusual stillness of the day made kite flying impossible. According to the rules of the contest the entrants were given five minutes in which to get their kites up and then the craft were to be kept in the air for at least five minutes. A lack of wind made flying impossible although several of the boys hoisted their kites high enough to get them badly tangled in tree branches and wires. Only one kite fatality resulted however.

Eleven entries in the contest include almost every conceivable type and size of kite. From a huge box-kite in the national colors down to sturdy newspaper-covered kites the whole range of kite manufacturing is well covered. The postponement of the contest is expected to result in further entries during the week. All entries must be in the hands of the judges by 11:30 a. m. Friday.

EXPECT 4000 AT POSTAL CONFERENCE

J. H. Hill to Preside At Springfield.

Plans for the postal conference which is to be held in the high school auditorium in Springfield Thursday, April 19, indicate an interesting program and an attendance of nearly 4,000 of the postal employees. Postmasters from 400 post offices, 1,000 rural delivery carriers, 1,500 city carriers and 1,200 clerks are expected to attend the conference. A special train will bring those from Chicago and the immediate territory to the meeting.

HILL TO PRESIDE.

J. H. Hill, postmaster at Decatur, will preside at this session which will be called to order by W. H. Conklin, the postmaster at Springfield.

Greetings will be extended by Governor Len Small and Elmer F. Hagler, president of the Springfield Chamber of Commerce.

There will be music by the postal quartet and addresses by either Harry S. New, postmaster general, or by John H. Bartlett, assistant postmaster general.

An entertainment feature will be sketches presented by the Kiwanis club of Springfield from "Abraham Lincoln", the play by John Drinkwater.

During the meeting there will be a general forum on subjects of special interest to employees of the department.

HEADACHES

Until a few years ago headache sufferers believed their suffering incurable. Temporary relief was all that was sought. Anything that would deaden the pain temporarily was kept close at hand for constant use.

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Regardless of the type—whether simple or due to several conditions—Chiropractic adjustments remove the cause and the headaches disappear.

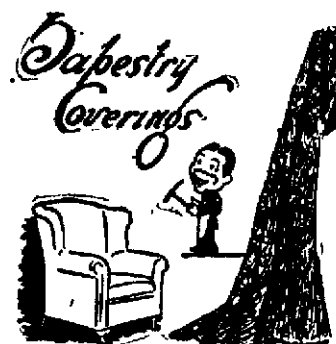
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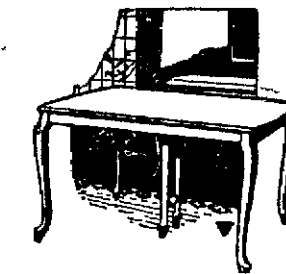
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243 N. Main St.

A Week of Super Specials!

Right at the time when all Decatur folks are putting their homes in order for spring—we're declaring a whole week of the greatest super-values in the history of the People's! Every department is represented. There are sensational bargains in room suites, rugs, draperies, refrigerators, wicker furniture, single pieces, etc., and as usual, the People's convenient credit makes it easier for you to pay. Just pay a small amount down—and take care of the balance as you feel you can afford it!

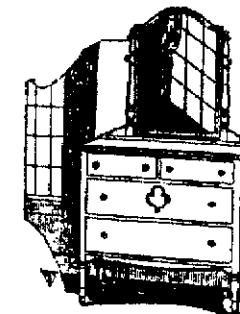
Many Articles Delivered For As Low As \$1 Down



Solid Walnut Table

A great value indeed! Beautifully finished solid walnut extension dining tables in the desirable Queen Anne design. On sale at specially reduced prices.

\$29.50



Period Style Dresser

This neat period design dresser in rich walnut finish will sell fast Monday at the specially reduced price of \$28.75.

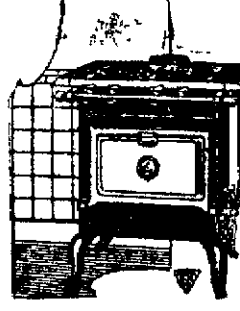
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Enameled Baby Bed

Well made drop side model baby beds in sanitary white enamel. Have dandy springs and are great values at \$8.75.

\$8.75



Upright Gas Range

These fine gas ranges will move fast at this low price. Have three burners on top and good sized roasting oven. Porcelain trimmed.

\$24.75



Tapestry Wicker Rocker

Extra high back, comfortable wicker rockers. Upholstered in genuine tapestry. Full spring seats. A great value at \$19.75.

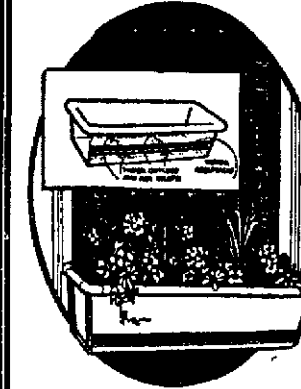
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Beautiful Home Outfits

On Easy Terms

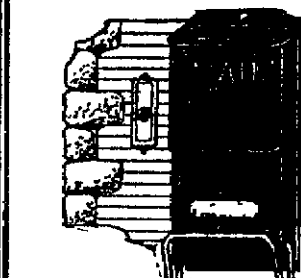
Three Extra Special Items On Sale Monday Only



Well Made Flower Boxes with Ventilated Bottom.

This is a most opportune sale of fine flower boxes. Good solid construction and painted in a dark green. On sale for Monday only at specially reduced prices.

24 inches 59c
36 inches 69c



Black Japanned Mail Boxes

Here is another of the values that the PEOPLE'S is famous for. On sale Monday these heavily japanned mail boxes have slot for the name and newspaper rack below. Made with waterproof top.

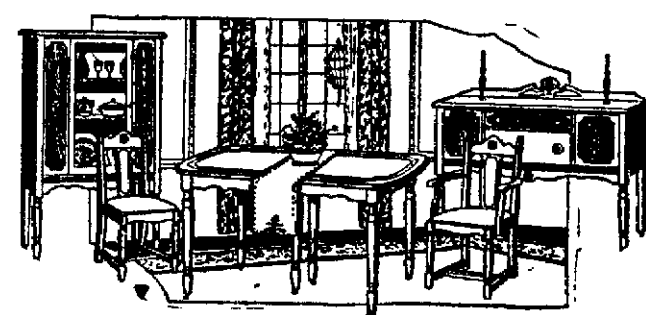
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Mop and Oil

On sale Monday are these heart shaped cedar oil mops and with each mop we include a bottle of Cedar Oil. Special for the set.

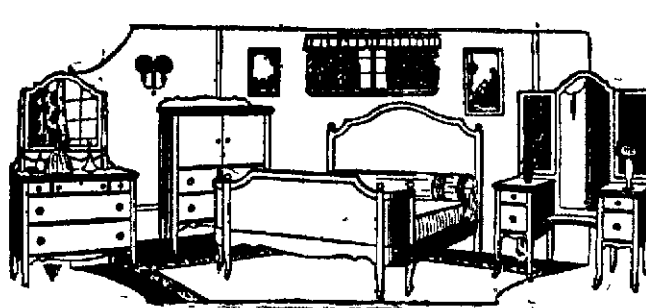
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Eight-Piece Two-Tone Antique Oak Dining Room

A new arrival of the latest two-tone antique oak designs in high-grade dining room furniture. The suite includes a long buffet, an oblong extension dining table, five side chairs and one arm chair, all with genuine blue leather cushion seats.

\$179



Four-Piece Period Style Walnut Bedroom Suite

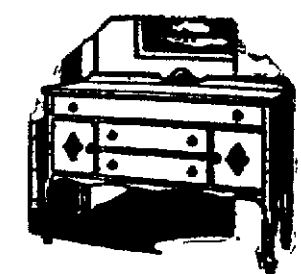
This beautiful period style suite in fine walnut is one of the biggest values in our large display of new bedroom suites. The suite includes a full size vanity dresser, a low end bed, a large chiffonette and an extra large dresser.

\$187



Warehouse Sale of Beds
at Half Price

We secured an entire warehouse stock of high grade steel beds in the wood finish at a phenomenally low price. Some have slight imperfections, but we have grouped the lot and offer them Monday at HALF PRICE.



Queen Anne Buffet

Handsome dark walnut finished buffet with ample drawer space and large dish compartments. Specially priced at \$29.50.

\$29.50



Wicker Baby Carriage

Your choice of grey or ivory enameled baby carriages with corduroy effect upholstery and large rubber tires. A value that can't be duplicated.

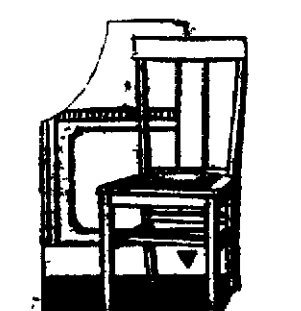
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60-inch Davenport Table

A fine 60-inch davenport table in rich nut brown mahogany finish. The design is the popular Spanish style.

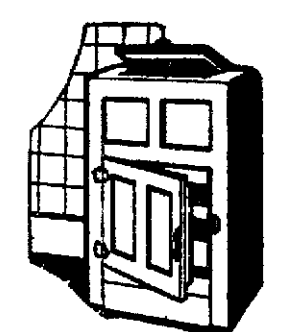
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Genuine Leather Chairs

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Madam, this truth may give you the "rejuvenation" you want, this fact stares you in the face! You cannot get down if you face the fact. You can add glorious strength to your weakened body. You can add sweeter years to your life and bring back some of the glorious charm of your girlhood days! But if you refuse to believe it, then no power on earth can help you! When you are exhausted, when you feel like "drooping down" on every seat you come to, that very thing you feel is nothing but early old age. Exhaustion and old age are practically the same thing. Both mean a "wearing out." The number of years you have spent on earth has nothing to do with the way you feel. Remember this, the number of blood-cells you have controls your nerves, your vitality, your health and strength! It is all you have! The answer then is, build up your blood-power! S. S. S. has been used since 1822 as one of the greatest blood-cell builders known. It contains only vegetable medicinal ingredients. It is also a remarkable blood purifier. This is why it has proven such startling results in rheumatic conditions, in stopping pimples, eczema, skin eruptions, in clearing and beautifying the complexion, and in building up thin, worn out men and women, and in building great nerve power! You are only as strong as your blood! Stronger and more youthful nerves depend on blood-power! Stronger blood shows at once in your face, in the strength of every organ. S. S. S. will give you great energy, strength and more youthful appearance. Stop getting old before your time! S. S. S. is sold at all drug stores, in two sizes. The larger size bottle is the more economical.

S. S. S. makes you feel like yourself again

SOCIETY

CLUB FEDERATION MEETING IN MAY

Delegates from Decatur to Attend.

The annual meeting of the Illinois Federation of Women's clubs will be held in Chicago early in May. It has been announced that the exact date for the meeting will be decided upon later. The committee in charge has secured the Arvan Grotto in which to hold the convention so that not only may delegates and others be comfortably seated, but many more club women can be accommodated than before.

GOOD PROGRAM.
Mrs. Martin East Northham of Evanston, the program chairman, together with her efficient committee of experienced club women, is planning a program which gives promise of being ideal in regard to its presentation of the federation policies and plans of work.

Decatur and the larger surrounding towns will send delegates to the convention, the delegates to be elected at the meeting in May, which comes May 5.

EVENING EVENTS.

It is planned that the first evening will be a gala affair, as Mrs. Thomas J. Winter, president of the general federation, will deliver an inspirational address and a fine musical program, arranged by Miss Olga Mann and Mrs. Mary Oberdorfer, will be given. Following the program, a reception will be given for Mrs. Winter and other guests of the convention.

On the second night of the convention will be presented "The Pageant of Women's Progress," which was given at the Municipal pier in Chicago last August as part of the Pageant of Progress and was pronounced by Mrs. Berry, art chairman, G. F. C., as one of the most beautiful ever witnessed.

The last evening an informal dinner and frolic will be held, giving the delegates a chance to get acquainted with one another and with the new officers. It is to be designated as club presidents' night, and following the informal supper an interesting and unique program of fun and frolic will be enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Logan, North Edward street, returned Saturday morning from a several weeks' visit in Elbert and New Orleans.

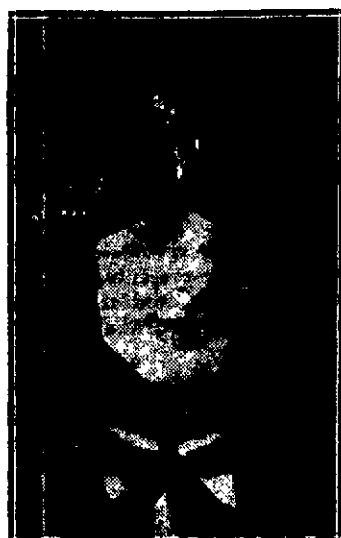
CARROLL M'COMAS NOW IN NEW PLAY

Miss Carroll McComas, niece of Admiral and Mrs. C. B. T. Moore, will appear in A. E. Thomas' new play, "The Black Flag," in Terre Haute, Ind., on Monday. One of the Chicago papers has an article, as follows: "Miss Carroll McComas, last seen here in 'Miss Lulu Bett,' will have an important role and other parts will be taken by members of Hampton's Shakespearean repertoire company."

Miss McComas has visited in Decatur a number of times.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Glose of Chicago are spending the week-end with Mrs. Glose's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Thomas. Mr. Glose has

SPENDS VACATION IN DECATUR HOME



MISS AILEEN P. COOK.

Miss Aileen Patricia Cook, who attends school at Notre Dame in Indiana, is spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Cook. Miss Cook will graduate from the school next year.

accepted a position as private secretary to Mr. Hawley, a railway official, and they will leave Monday for their new home in Cleveland, Ohio.

ALPHA CHI Omega formal dinner-dance will be held Saturday evening, April 7, at the Country club, with Miss Marjorie Lowry as general chairman of the event. The others on the committee are Miss Dorothy Davis, Miss Helen Stutes and Miss Adele Rattan.

Orn Lyman's orchestra from Champaign will furnish the music for both the dancing and the dinner. More than fifteen couples from out of town are expected to attend.

Miss Martha Jane Bachman, who attends school in Connersville, Ind., is spending the Easter vacation with her father, W. G. Bachman, Millikin Place. She will return to school on Wednesday.

Sans Souci club will meet with Mrs. J. R. Holt and Mrs. C. C. Nicholson Wednesday for luncheon in the home of Mrs. Holt.

Miss Annetta Wood, who is a student at the Emerson School of Oratory in Boston, has returned to her school after spending the spring vacation with her aunt, Mrs. J. P. Purdy, in Washington, D. C.

Miss Marjorie Sullivan of Winnetka, Ill., formerly of Decatur, is returning to her home Sunday after visiting Miss Martha Holt for several days.

PSALEMAS TO STUDY AMERICA

"America and Americans" will be studied at the meetings of the Psi-chi division of the Woman's Club during the month of April, under the leadership of Mrs. Inez J. Bender.

On Tuesday evening of this week, Miss Alice Mead will have a travelogue. Miss Anna McNabb will have a ten minute talk on James Trustlow Adams and Miss Katherine Chace will speak on Charles Proteus Steinmetz.

SHAKESPEARE DIVISION.
Mrs. Mabel Thrift will talk on

"The Life of Wadsworth" as the meeting of the Shakespeare division of the Woman's Club Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 in the club rooms. Mrs. J. J. Richeson will complete the study of the fourth act of King Henry V.

SOCIAL AFTERNOON.

A social afternoon will be enjoyed at the meeting of the Art and Literature division of the Woman's Club Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 in the club rooms. Mrs. G. R. Eshelman is leader for the month of April.

Mrs. George A. Rice will talk on "Housekeeping in 1860 and Housekeeping in 1925." Miss Mary Edith Caldwell will be in charge of the music. Refreshments will be served.

Miss Lucille Greider, who teaches in the high school at Martinsville, is spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Greider.

The Knights of Columbus Ladies will have their first card party after observing Lent, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 in the K. of C. parlors. The committee in charge is composed of Mrs. Mary Delaney, Mrs. Mary Clark, Mrs. T. Brennan, and Mrs. E. B. Delaney.

Percy Michener, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Michener, 761 North Mercer street, who has been attending the University of Illinois, is visiting his parents during the spring vacation. Mr. Michener arrived in Decatur Thursday noon, and will return to the state school Tuesday morning.

WOMAN'S CLUB TO HEAR E. R. DARLING

"Every Day Chemistry" will be the subject of the talk by Prof. Elton R. Darling of the Millikin faculty, at the regular meeting of the General Woman's Club Saturday afternoon, April 7, in the club rooms of the Congregational church. The directory will meet at 1:45 and the club will meet at 2:30.

Mrs. Bert Traugher will be in charge of the music.

Stuart Wood arrived Friday from the Illinois Medical College in Chicago to spend the week-end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Wood.

Mrs. Lowell Gill left Saturday afternoon for a week's visit in Jacksonville with her sister, Mrs. C. C. Chaplin.

Miss Mildred Boruff, student at Wheelock school in Boston, is spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Boruff.

P. E. O. chapter will meet Monday evening at 7:45 in the home of Mrs. Dan Macknet and Mrs. Eunice McKee. Miss Gussie Gorla will have a paper entitled, "French Forts and Settlements in Illinois."

Jerome D. Miller, who attends law school at Ann Arbor, Mich., will arrive in Decatur April 6 to spend the spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Miller on North Water street. He will remain here for ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Means of Chicago are the week-end guests of their respective parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. K. Means, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Thomas.

Miss Bernice Owens of Pana and Harold Wiley of Chicago are the week-end guests of Miss Faye Thomas, Central avenue.

DRESS IS WORN BY THREE GENERATIONS



Maud Flower Eichman.

The above charming little lady is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Eichman, North Taylor avenue. Maud Flower will be six years old in August and in September will enroll at the Dennis school. She now attends the Millikin Conservatory kindergarten.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. LaForsge are spending the week in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Oliver Wilson of Peoria was the guest of Prof. and Mrs. A. T. Mills during the last week. Mrs. Wilson is a sister of Prof. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Atlas and daughter, Miss Beatrice Atlas, who are spending the winter abroad, left the steamship Coronia in Alexandria, and went to Cairo, Mar. 9. Mr. Atlas made reservations at a hotel in Cairo and was met at the station by an employee of the hotel. They left Cairo after a few days stay for Palestine.

PI PHI CARD PARTY APRIL 6

The third annual benefit card party to be given by Pi Beta Phi sorority will be held April 6 at the Hotel Orlando. In previous years it has been held at the Art Institute, but owing to the large number of people expected to attend it has been decided to hold it at the hotel.

Prizes will be awarded both men and women in five hundred and bridge. Playing will begin promptly at 8 o'clock. Tickets may be obtained from any of the Pi Phi alumnae or Miss Jessie Lockett who is in charge of the sale of tickets. Tables may be reserved for private parties or various organizations. A few tables will be reserved for late comers or for those who neglected to obtain tickets before the party.

The chairman of the committees in charge are:
General chairman — Mrs. Arthur Metzler.

The dresses which little Miss Eichman wears were originally made for and worn by her grandfather, Mr. Rice of New York City, when he was a child. The dress was saved and worn by Mrs. Eichman when she was a youngster and now is being worn by Maud Flower.

Prizes—Mrs. Carlos Lyon. Publicity—Miss Jessie Lockett. Reception—Mrs. Jack Powers. Tables—Miss Mildred Murphy. Candy—Mrs. Charles McCormick.

The collection of fine paintings which are to be shown Sunday afternoon in the historical society room on the second floor of the Art Institute by Paul Shortridge is open to all lovers of paintings and anyone else. Mr. Shortridge will explain the technical points of the various pictures and give the story of Kathryn Cherry's life. Especially lovely are the Lorena, Maugh, Eatons, Dufners and small Emerson. A telephone appointment will reach Mr. Shortridge at the Art Institute.

MRS. O'NEILL TO DISCUSS WOMAN'S RESPONSIBILITIES

Mrs. Lottie Hollman O'Neill, Illinois first woman legislator, will be the speaker at the meeting of the Woman's Council to be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the First Congregational church, her subject being "Women's Larger Responsibilities." Mrs. O'Neill has proved to be a very forceful speaker, and has received a number of invitations to speak before various women's organizations throughout the state. Decatur women are quite fortunate in securing her for a speaker at this time, and it is hoped that the women of the city will take advantage of this unusual opportunity. The place of the meeting was changed from the Y. W. C. A. to the Congregational church,

in order to have a larger place for the meeting.

Following Mrs. O'Neill's talk there will be a reception given in her honor, to which all women of the city are invited.

The board of directors of the Woman's Council will give a luncheon at 1 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A. in her honor. She will arrive in the city at 12:30 and some of the officers will meet her.

The ushers for the afternoon meeting are to be: Mrs. L. H. Baird, Mrs. W. S. Henderson, Miss Lida Dilatash, Miss Vivian Mosbacher, Mrs. J. Howard Hinnick, Mrs. Henry Pogue, Mrs. L. C. Orrick, Mrs. W. L. Hull, Mrs. Rollin Pease and Mrs. Roy Stewart.

TEA IN HONOR OF SHORTRIDGES

A profusion of spring flowers and lighted candles attractively decorated the Art Institute at the tea given Saturday afternoon from 3 o'clock until 5 in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shortridge of the Newhouse Galleries in St. Louis, who have an exhibit at the Art Institute. The two George Innes study classes were hostesses.

Mrs. H. M. Owen was general chairman of the event, assisted by Mrs. Smith Walker, Mrs. L. D. Barbey, Mrs. R. G. Hapke, Mrs. Frank Godwin and Mrs. H. H. Wise. The women who poured were Mrs. Harry Haines, Mrs. A. M. Kenney, Mrs. W. M. Wood and Mrs. Della P. Gushard. Assisting in the dining room were Mrs. Charles McCormick, Miss Phillis Hamman, Miss Mary Baird and Miss Esther Reaumur. Mrs. C. Martin Wood was in charge of the decorations. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Hardy and Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Taylor.

Mrs. Robert J. Stevens was hostess to two charming bridge parties in her home Friday and Saturday afternoons with five tables of bridge at play on Friday and four tables on Saturday. The house was attractively decorated with Easter lilies and the Easter idea was carried out in the luncheon also. High score prizes were won by Mrs. J. M. Turner, first; Mrs. Joseph Gauger, second, and Mrs. Roy Eshelman, third, on Friday. In the play Saturday, Mrs. C. D. MacMennamy won high score, Mrs. Bert Muthersbaugh, second, and Mrs. Carl Nye third.

Mrs. Edward Bering Hitchcock and Mrs. Corwin Johns will return to Chicago on Monday and will return to Decatur Friday. Mrs. Hitchcock will give a musical at the home of Mrs. Frederick Counties on Lake Shore Drive Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Donahue is hostess to several young women from out of town this week-end at her home on West Wood street. The guests are Miss Dorothy McMaster of Alton, Ill., Miss Edna Ramsey of Carle, Ill., Miss Olivia Borden of Angeles Camp, Cal., all of whom attend Knox College in Galesburg, and Miss Ruth Kennedy of the University of Illinois. A number of theater parties have been given for the guests and on Saturday afternoon a bridge party was given by Miss Donahue.

High score prize in the five hundred play was won by Miss Olivia Borden and consolation went to Miss Iona Scott, with high score in the bridge play going to Miss Katherine Pinkney and consolation prize to Miss

Ruth Kennedy. The young women will return to their schools on Monday.

Miss Frances Kuny and Miss Alice Bunstead of Colorado Springs, both of whom teach in the Jamelle High school, are spending the Easter vacation with Miss Kuny's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Keny.

Miss Ada Lindsay of New York City is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Edna Lindsay, 664 East Cantrill street.

MR. AND MRS. H. L. BALDWIN are expected to return to Decatur Sunday, after spending several weeks in California.

Mrs. D. S. Anderson, 1152 West Eldorado street, is visiting her daughter, Mary Elizabeth, who attends Hamilton College in Lexington, Ky. This is her spring vacation.

A NUMBER of girls spent last week at the Maxwell cottage at the Fishing club. They were Misses Clarabelle Flisk, Martha Hawkins, Frances Sellers, Margaret Hill, Edna and Lucille Quicke, Janice Widick, Charlotte Musser, Guyne Eaton, Virginia Lipscomb, Eleanor Wood, Mather Soranton and her guest, Frances Spindle of Springfield. The chaperones were Mrs. Harry Flisk and Miss Sarah Bowman.

Miss Dorothy Mae White is spending the week-end in Springfield with friends and attending the Zeta dance.

EVELYN GULICK AND JOHN RAINEY MARRIED AUG. 7

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Gulick announce the marriage of their daughter, Evelyn, to John Challenor Rainey, Jr., which took place Aug. 7. The

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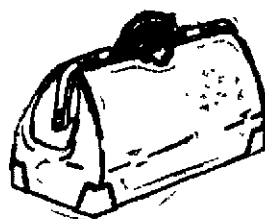
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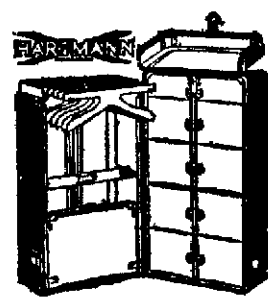
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couple was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Gulick.

The announcement was made at a party given Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gulick to a number of friends.

Mrs. Rainey is the granddaughter of the late Lafayette Gulick and Z. T. Pope. She is a graduate of the Decatur high school and received schooling in Perry hall and Normal university.

Mr. Rainey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Rainey and the grandson of the late John Marshall Rainey. He served overseas during the war. This marriage united two prominent families.

Mrs. Rainey returned from Normal university Friday to spend the Easter vacation in Decatur.

Mrs. C. J. Felix is leaving Monday evening for Youngstown, Ohio, where she will join Mr. Felix, and there they will make their future home. Miss Jane Felix will remain in Decatur until June at the Theta Gamma society house.

The Bonne Femme club gave a luncheon Friday evening in the home of Mrs. E. H. Smith, honoring Mrs. C. J. Felix who leaves Monday for her new home in Youngstown, Ohio. The members presented Mrs. Felix with a silver tomato server, Mrs. Fargaret Liward, Miss Jane Felix and Mrs. Arthur Bottrell of Blytheville Arkansas were guests. Mrs. Bottrell was a former member of the club.

The Atwood Social club will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Godwin 1122 West Decatur street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Watson of Taylorsville are spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schario 1323 North College street.

Mrs. W. H. Davies, 154 North Dennis avenue, will entertain the members of the Tuesday Bridge club in her home at 2:30 Tuesday this week. On Wednesday she will entertain the N. G. bridge luncheon club at 1:30.

Miss Dorothy Martha Spicer, 1122 West Decatur street, entertained eight friends in her home Saturday afternoon in honor of Billy Foster of Sioux City, Ia. The hours were from 3 o'clock until 5.

During the afternoon the children had an Easter egg hunt, and played games. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Those present were Billy Foster, Catherine Hershberger, Mary Catherine Dearth, Beatrice Carman, Billy Ben Steeler, Ralph Uhler, Ambrosia Hunt and Dorothy Martha Spicer.

Progress Rebekah lodge will give a banquet Thursday evening in the Canton Tea Garden in honor of Miss Flora K. Sheets of Lincoln, president of the Rebekah State assembly. Following the banquet a reception will be held at the Odd Fellow hall, 143 North Main street.

The committee in charge of the affair are Mrs. Mattie Dientsbier, chairman; Mrs. Louis Schario, Mrs. John Randall, Mrs. John Pierce, Mrs. D. W. Herman, Mrs. Jennie Jones and Mrs. Edward Walsh.

The Carnation club, Degree of Honor lodge, No. 1, will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Emma Dady, 643 North Stone street.

Mrs. William Anderson, 748 West Prairie avenue, entertained a few friends with 500 Wednesday evening. Three tables were at play. The high score was made by Mrs. N. Smith and Fred Galik. The hostess served refreshments.

Mary Louise Heneby entertained thirty-two of her friends Saturday afternoon at her home, 1323 North Union street. Easter games formed a part of the afternoon's entertainment. Prizes were won by Augustina Walter and Melba Dunn. Francis Quinn won the prize, playing "Bunco." Refreshments in keeping with the Easter season were served.

The Royal Palm club will meet Wednesday, April 4 with Mrs. R. C. Hoendorf, 1031 West Wood street. All members are requested to come with well filled boxes as a box social will be held honoring R. C. Hoendorf and Miss Mary Brady.

The Betsy Ross club will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. F. E. Rugdock, 1635 North Morgan street.

The Marquette Card club met with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richardson, 920 North Water street, Friday evening with three tables at play. High score prizes were won by Mrs. Walter Winegardner and B. Butte, and low score by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richardson. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. W. Bowman, 2662 North Main street, Friday evening.

Mrs. William Lahners 456 East Grand Avenue entertained the members of the Kit-Kat club Friday afternoon. Three tables of Five Hundred were at play. First prize was won by Mrs. George Claxton, second by Mrs. Dolly Hart, and consolation by Mrs. Kittie Duncan. Mrs. Charles Thimmens and Mrs. Harold Burg were guests. Plans were made for an all day meeting with luncheon at noon to be held at the Staley club house April 11, and a called meeting will be held April 4, at the home of Mrs. Charles Burg 1350 North Edward street to complete the plans.

An interesting feature of the meeting Friday was a radio concert. The women heard the "Tre Ore" service from St. Frances Sayre church in St. Louis.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Stanley Lahners.

Three tables of Five Hundred were at play Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Kennedy 2050 North Main street when she entertained the members of the Glad-U-Kum club. Mrs. Russell Fogler won first prize, Mrs. Gladys Smith second, and Mrs. Harry Betchel low. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs.

TWINS CELEBRATE FIRST BIRTHDAY



—Photo by Vandeventer.
Robert and Herbert Baumgarten.

Robert and Herbert Baumgarten, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baumgarten, 1061 West Decatur street, recently celebrated their first birthday anniversary. Both youngsters possess happy dispositions and make friends every place they go.

Charles Miller 1404 North Warren street.

Mrs. Russel Bailey entertained the members of the Happy Go Lucky club Friday afternoon. The afternoon was spent playing Five Hundred and prizes were won by Mrs. William Knoedle, Mrs. James Wilkins and Mrs. John Deffenbaugh. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. M. Higdon 1004 West Green street.

The W. and W. club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. Bruner 750 West Waggoner street with thirteen members present. The club prize was won by Mrs. Lee Milligan. The afternoon was spent with fancy work and light refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Mayme Brame 2100 East Giles street, Terrace Gardens.

Mrs. E. H. McElhaney 1231 East Leafland Avenue delightfully entertained the members of the Fern Crochet club Wednesday evening at an Easter party. A color scheme of yellow and white was carried out with the two course luncheon served, and Easter lilies were the table centerpiece. Mrs. John Wheat, Mrs. Mary Nemyer, and Miss Hunter were admitted as new members. Mrs. Nemyer won first prize and Mrs. Sarah Frazer second prize in the guessing contest.

The members will entertain families at a party some time in April.

Mrs. Harry Housch 256 East Waggoner street entertained the Winemakers club Thursday afternoon. Three tables of Five Hundred were at play and prizes were won by Mrs. E. G. Hoover, Mrs. Bruce Weigel, and Mrs. Lester Clendenen. Mrs. Dorothy Reithing won the consolation. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lyle Duffy 235 North Illinois street.

SOCIAL NEWS OF WEEK AT CLINTON

Clinton, March 31.—The Delphian chapter met Monday afternoon with Mrs. E. H. Marshall, West Jefferson street.

Members of the D. O. P. club were entertained by Mrs. O. B. Meadows at her home, 121 West Jefferson street, Monday evening with a six o'clock dinner.

The Clinton History club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Zeigler, North Jackson avenue.

Mrs. C. N. Bowling delightfully entertained the Tuesday club at her home on West Main street Tuesday evening.

Members of the Five Hundred club enjoyed an evening with Mrs. John Hinkle, 915 East Johnson street, Tuesday evening.

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Members of La Carita club entertained their husbands at a six o'clock dinner in the Firemen's hall Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mont Gleadell entertained the Fleur de Lis club at her home on East Adams street Friday afternoon.

Members of the Eater Star chapter held a card party at the Chamber of Commerce rooms Friday evening.

Club Calendar.

The Daughters club will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Hilda Kenward 1400 West Mason street.

The Jolly Twelve club will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. W. Morrisey 1318 East Eldorado street.

The D. G. U. club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Shafer 339 West Grand Avenue.

Mrs. George Kochendorfer and Mrs. Paul Liock will entertain the members of the Navajo club Thursday at a one o'clock luncheon at the Staley club house.

Teacher, Fainting, Gives Pupils Scare of Their Young Lives

Miss Anna Shadow, teacher of the Berry school east of the city, last week gave her pupils the scare of their lives by fainting in the school room. Miss Shadow felt herself becoming dizzy and started to the open air, directing her pupils as she went to put up their books. Upon reaching the door she could not find the door knob, and fell with such force as to bruise her face severely and blacken one of her eyes.

One of the pupils went out through a window, and others were terribly frightened. They believed that she was dying or dead.

"Why, papa," said one youngster when he reached home, "if she had died people would have thought that we killed her."

Miss Shadow was incapacitated for the rest of the week but she is now reported to be much better.

MARRIED.

PRICE-FLOCKER.

The wedding of Miss Marguerite G. Price and Arthur J. Flocker took place at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Price, 159 South Hilltop street. The single ring ceremony was performed by Rev. H. F. Powell of St. Paul's Methodist church in the presence of about thirty relatives and friends.

The couple entered the living room to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Miss Naomi Dallas of Cerro Gordo. Little Phyllis and Philip Wilkinson, twins, preceded them, carrying baskets of flowers. Miss Mildred Armsworth of Cicero was bridesmaid and Robert Flaughner, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. The bride wore a suit of dark blue Poirat twill trimmed in gray and her hat and slippers were of gray. She wore a corsage of rosebuds and lilies of the valley.

Both young people are graduates of the Decatur High school.

Mr. Flocker is employed in the Wabash locomotive store room and Mrs. Flocker also has been employed at the Wabash as stenographer. She is pianist at St. Paul's Methodist church. Mr. Flocker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Flaughner, 1171 East Marietta street.

Mr. and Mrs. Flocker left on the afternoon train for Chicago for a few days. Upon their return to Decatur they will make their home for the present in the home of the bride's parents. A large crowd of friends and relatives were at the depot to shower them with rice.

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Review Cooking School Will Be Real Help

Miss Schumacker to Bring Plans for Breaking "Deadly Monotony" of Cookery to Decatur Women.

Does your daily routine of cooking grow wearisome? Does the planning of the meals become so monotonous that you wonder if there really is any new way to do anything? Do you long for something different to give your family?

It was with just these things in mind that The Review provided for a cooking school, to which all the women in Decatur are invited. It was with the idea of bringing them something new and with easier methods of doing the things they have done before that the school was arranged.

TEACHER-ADAPTED TO WORK.

Miss Mary K. Schumacker, of Evanston, who is to conduct The Review school, is known to many Decatur people for she formerly was a student at the James Millikin University, where her sister, Miss Liana Schumacker, is now studying music in the Conservatory. Both are spoken of as charming young women, and of Miss Mary Schumacker it is said that she is just the person for the position which she now occupies, that of a public lecturer and demonstrator in the work she knows and likes so well—home economics. After two years at the Millikin University she went to Adamsville, Ill., where she taught for a year and then went into public lecturing in which she has since been engaged.

At present Miss Liana Schumacker, who lives at the Sigma Alpha Iota sorority house in Decatur, is on vacation at her home in Evanston, but before the cooking school opens in this city she will arrive to resume her studies at the conservatory.

"KITCHEN" AT Y. W. C. A.

The first lecture and demonstration will be given at 2 o'clock the afternoon of April 10, in the auditorium of the Y. W. C. A. where a kitchen will be fitted up for Miss Schumacker's benefit. Many subjects will be treated and each afternoon will be a helpful one to the women who have been asking in their hearts for this kind of coaching in their cooking.

LEARN AND LAUGH.

Reports from other cities where the teacher has held these schools show that the women have enjoyed the benefit they have received and the places have been crowded by eager listeners. Not only is it a good place to learn, but its going to be a good place to laugh, for Miss Schumacker injects plenty of humor into her talk, understanding as she does, much about human nature.

THE SUBJECTS

Every one, to be sure, is interested in just what subjects will be touched upon. They are varied and promise something for everyone. They are:

TUESDAY, APRIL 10

Lecture—"The Key to Success in Cookery."

Demonstration—

Fruit Loaf.

Whole Wheat Date Muffins.

Quick Coffee Cake.

Eight Minute Doughnuts.

Corn Fritters.

Croquettes.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11.

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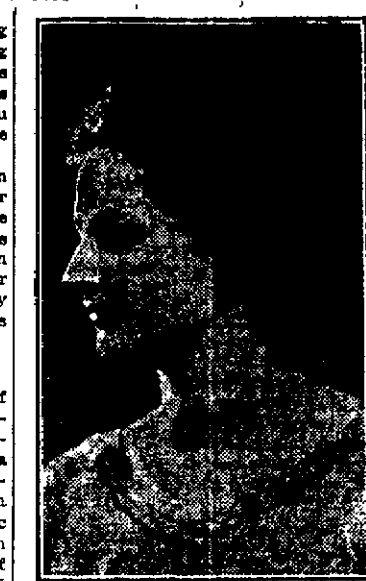
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MISS MARY SCHUMACKER.

Demonstration—

White Cake—Marshmallow Icing.

Pound Cake—Bitter Sweet Icing.

Mocha Cake—Mocha Icing.

Coconut Pluff Cake.

Eggless Chocolate Cakes.

THURSDAY, APRIL 12.

Lecture—"Planning the Meals for a Family."

Demonstration—

Splendid Baked Stewed Ham.

Escalloped Potatoes with Potatoes.

Cauliflower Hollandaise.

Rice Fluff Pudding.

Apricot Cranberry Sauce.

Pastry Baskets.

Tea Biscuits with Variations.

FRIDAY, APRIL 13.

Lecture—"Salads and Their Place in the Diet."

Demonstration—

New and Original Salads.

Three Minute Mayonnaise.

Mock Mayonnaise.

Simplified Thousand Island Dressing.

Club Dressing.

The time—2 o'clock, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons, April 10, 11, 12 and 13.

The place—The Y. W. C. A. auditorium.

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We have a big display of Cut Flowers and Potted Plants and we will make

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Today

Easter Lily Plants \$2.00
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VOLUNTEERS PAINT
Y. W. C. A. POOL

Gym Girls Are Aided By
Group of Boys.

TO OPEN ON APRIL 19

Campaign for Swimming to
Be Started.

The Y. W. C. A. swimming pool is painted. Its pure whiteness stands as a monument to the work of willing hands who volunteered their work that it might be done at the least possible expense. Work began March 26 by Misses Ruth McGurk, Verna Prescott, Helen Maxwell and Mildred Holmes.

BECOMING OUTFITS.

The painter's outfits were very becoming. Ruth wore blue overalls and painter's cap. Verna had on a daring bathing suit of the vintage of 1898. Helen wore a pair of cast-off overalls of her brother's, and Mildred Holmes wore the usual gym outfit and tam. It wasn't only on the clothing and gym pool that paint was collected. It was found dabbed on the faces of the painters as well, and since it was white had a strange look in this day of much red paint.

BOYS HELPED.

For four days the girls worked industriously, and to their sorrow were made to stop work to make way for four very ambitious boys—Hugh Odor, Billy Shorb, Herb Richards and David Jenkins. The boys painted all day Thursday and finished the last of the job at one o'clock on Friday. Each boy said his ambition is to be a millionaire. If they work at that as they worked at the pool their ambition will be reached early in life, for they did exceptionally good work.

DONATE TO FUND.

The idea of using volunteer work in painting the pool originated with Mrs. C. Z. Thistlethwaite. She solicited some of the winter swimmers and as a result collected \$21.00 to pay for the paint used in the pool. The donors were Mrs. Thistlethwaite, Mrs. Hoots, Mrs. Paul White, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Hooper, Mrs. Boyer, Mrs. Campion, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Pennington, Mrs. Alexander, Misses Faye Hooper, Cora Sims, Helen Ramsey, Hila Ayers, Louise Humphrey, Helen Maxwell, Ruth Deverell, Gladys Dickson.

SCRAPING POOL.

The scraping of the pool started Tuesday, March 20, by Misses Ruth McGurk, Verna Prescott and Mildred Holmes. Later in the week the services of Earl Roberts, Boy Scout leader, and the following boys, Jimmy Hill, Joe Michl, Buddy Wood, Bob Lewis and Bussy Tait were enlisted. The brushes for the painting of the pool were obtained through Mrs. Wilda Hoots.

TO OPEN APRIL 19.

The pool will be ready for the summer season by April 19. It will take two weeks for the paint to dry before filling the pool with water. A campaign for swimming will begin in about a week. It is time to get a season ticket and start in to learn to swim. This will be the last chance before summer.

START TENNIS.

Wednesday, April 4, a tennis class will start in the Y. W. C. A. These classes will be conducted at 8, 9, 10 and 11:45 p. m. The classes will play out of doors as soon as the weather will permit.

SEE MANY COLORS
IN EASTER HATS

Favorite Colors to Include
Shades of Blue.

BY ALLEN LAMONT.
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New York, March 29—Many a temporary hat is going to have its first ride on a permanent wave Sunday morning. No matter what the weather may provide on Easter Sunday, the horizon of the fashion parades will reveal every coloring that the sky ever showed. For in headgear, the favorite colors will include the shades of blue, ranging from turquoise, violet, orchid, lavender, mountain haze and purple to deepest navy.

Will the range of color halt there? It will not even hesitate, for the pal-

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Morning, Afternoon and Evening
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Here are three appropriate gowns for the day's change—morning, afternoon and evening. The smart little suit at the left is of tan tulle and is the sort of an outfit that should occur annually in every woman's spring wardrobe. The afternoon frock of embroidered crepe has an interesting drapery and unusual lines. The sleeveless frock for evening is of orchid satin trimmed only with pearls.

lows and browns will be fully represented. Citron will be a favorite as will coral and the reddish brown tints such as cocoa, vermillion, briques, cherry and eal. Back of all these will be the greens with the shades nearest to almond and sea foam emphasized. Perhaps the newest and most distinctive tint of all is what the parisian couture calls "blonde," a shade with all the hopes of the poroxide bottle and none of its disappointments.

STRAWS DOMINATE.

If straws are needed to show which way the wind blows, no one need be in doubt this Easter. For the straw clothes and pokes will dominate the other shapes. Milan, manille, bang-look and "candy" are the favorite weaves for these small hats, most of which turn up sharply at the back and tilt their short brims far over the eyes in front.

For the more mature women black—crinal, meaning braided horse hair, all the time, and all over flowers hats will be both popular and expensive.

Some of these are trimmed with gurna feathers, a tuft of thinned ostrich or an egret crest. For the maids, wreaths of orange blossoms form the newest trimmings of the cloches with a cluster of the blossoms placed against the upturned back brims. Poppies, mangollas, dogwood and tulips and dahlias are similarly utilized. Trimmings may be summed up in three words—flowers, fruit, feathers.

Curious Reflex.

Cincinnati Enquirer—"The human anatomy is a wonderful bit of mechanism."

"Yes, put one kind of man on the back and you'll make his head swell."

This plot of Easter color may begin at the top but it will not end there. Shoes will be as vivid as hats and will follow practically the small shades.

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Daughters of The American Revolution

Edited By Leah A. Kazmark.

NATIONAL SOCIETY HELPS IN HAVING THREE LAWS PASSED

After ten years of petitioning by the Daughters of the American Revolution, the last congress passed a bill which permits a married woman, who was an American citizen previous to her marriage with an alien, to resume her citizenship, and it further provides that "from henceforth a woman citizen of the United States shall not cease to be a citizen by reason of marriage to an alien, unless she makes a formal renunciation of the same before a court."

At the last meeting of the International Council of Women at Christiania, Norway, the countries adopted resolutions to work for this law. The United States is the first to gain it, and when the Council meets here in 1924 it is hoped that more countries will have followed America's example in recognizing the right of every woman to individual citizenship.

YORKTOWN PRESERVED AS PARK

Other bills passed were the preservation of the battlefields of historic Yorktown by authorizing their purchase as a national park, and the exemption from taxation of D. A. R. property in Washington, D. C.

Two bills which failed to pass and will again be introduced at the coming Continental congress are, the erection of archives for the safe housing of historic documents, and creating in the cabinet a department of education. The latter has been favorably reported on by a committee appointed by congress so its passage is certain in the near future, the department, however, has been changed to read "Department of Education and Welfare."

The chairman of the D. A. R. national committee on legislation urges that the chapters all over the country concentrate on a few bills instead of scattering their forces by introducing many. The chapters desire to work along this line with other interested organizations in their localities.

BILLS INDORSED BY STATE CONFERENCE.

The D. A. R. conference indorsed a resolution, which is backed by the American Bar association, that the present Illinois legislature pass a law making the study of the United States constitution compulsory in public schools, that it be taught along with history and that suitable texts be provided.

A bill was presented and indorsed that the flag be displayed at the polls on registration day.

Illinois daughters will present a bill at this time asking that the legislature appropriate funds to carry on the important work at the Chicago immigrant station, as it has become too great for private organizations to handle.

PROPOSED CENSORSHIP OF SCHOOL HISTORIES.

Miss Lottie Jones of Danville presented a resolution for the conference to indorse asking that a board of censors be appointed by the state to examine those portions of school histories dealing with the facts leading up to and about the Revolutionary war, and to discard any such as are found to be vague, misleading or untrue, the board of censors to consist of the state superintendent of schools, the president of the state historical society, and representatives of the G. A. R., D. A. R. and S. A. R. New York has passed a similar law and seven other states are considering it in their legislative bodies.

After much discussion, the resolution was referred back to the board for revision as it was thought to be too sweeping in statements.

PRIZES FOR ESSAYS.

In order to stimulate study of the Manual for Immigrants, a prize of five dollars in gold will be given in each state to the person, either foreign-born or southern mountaineer, who submits the best short essay in English on "What I have learned from the Manual."

Two additional five dollar prizes will be given to the foreign-born and mountaineer having the best essays among the winning ones.

The manuscripts are now in the hands of each State Patriotic Education chairman and the winners will be announced the middle of April.

MONTHLY CHAPTER MEETING.

Stephen Decatur chapter will meet Thursday, April 5, at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. Herbert Warner, 1498 West Main street. There will be a business session followed by reports of the State conference.

Hostesses for the afternoon will be Mesdames R. J. Monroe, W. W. Doane, C. A. McMillen, F. A. Warner, C. A. Eukis, L. K. Kilick, J. W. Sanders, J. J. McCabe, Misses Dilatush, Marion Wood.

ONLY 12 TEACHERS LEAVE DURING YEAR

Record Much Smaller Than Previous Years.

REASONS ARE GIVEN

Two Break Contracts to Go Elsewhere.

It was remarked the other day that the Decatur schools have lost a good many teachers this year, that the steady leak from the teaching staff with which the schools opened last fall is piling up a total that is beginning to look like the war time defection. This led to a checking up of the teachers that for one cause or another have left since the opening of the schools in September. It was found that just thirteen teachers have quit from all causes. One of these never did report for duty so that the total since the schools began is reduced to twelve. The last named teacher was obliged to leave the service on account of her health. She accepted reappointment expecting that she would be able to teach and did not discover until the last moment that she could not do so.

ILL HEALTH.

Four other teachers resigned on account of their health. That is something that is entirely unavoidable and no board of education would hesitate a moment to release a teacher when her health demands it.

TO MARRY.

Three teachers quit to get married. That is another case in which the superintendent or board would not throw a straw in the way of fate. Of course the superintendent would much prefer that these teachers postpone their marriages till they have a full year's salary with which to begin house keeping but they do not ask it.

Two teachers quit because they were already married. That is another place where the school authorities can not interfere. When a married woman is employed as a teacher it is understood that her interests are divided and that the domestic side may at any time overbalance her school interests. It is for this reason that married women are rather reluctantly employed and in some systems not at all.

TO ATTEND SCHOOL.

One teacher was granted leave of absence for the rest of the year to attend school. The school authorities are always disposed to be lenient in a case of this kind. A teacher who is ambitious to complete her professional training may find it necessary to quit her work in the middle of the year to do so, and she is pretty certain to come back next fall a better teacher.

BREAK CONTRACT.

Two teachers left to take positions in other cities at higher salaries.

SPECIAL SUNDAY DINNER

12 to 2 P. M. 5 to 7:30 P. M.

Chicken Soup with noodles	10c	Buttered Cauliflower	10c	Nut Cake	10c
Pot Roast with Brown Potato	30c	Fried Egg Plant	10c	Angel Food Cake	10c
Baked Chicken and Dressing	45c	Mashed Potatoes	5c	Sunshine Cake	10c
Fried Chicken and Cream Gravy	40c	Sweet Potatoes	10c	Lady Baltimore Cake	10c
Leg of Veal with Green Beans	35c	Pineapple Pickers	10c	Caramel Cake	10c
Baked Ham and Champagne Sauce	30c	Creamed Asparagus	10c	Peach Shortcake with whipped cream	20c

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DESSERTS

SALADS.

Head Lettuce with Mayonnaise, Thousand Island or French Dressing.....15c
Perfection.....10c
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Banana.....10c
Combination.....7c
Cream Slaw.....7c
Olives.....10c
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Another Mother Tells What It Did for Her Daughter

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An after Easter sale of high grade well made dresses that will more than surprise your strongest imagination. Dresses made of fine quality GAYNE CREPE, TAFETAS, FLAT CREPE, CREPE DE CHINE, FAISLEYE ETC., ALSO MANY PRETTY NEW FAISLEYE COMBINATIONS, Trimmed with ruffles, flowers, fancy ornaments etc. All newest shades including Pekin Blue, Flame, Henna, Nile Green, Orchid, Black, Navy etc. Styles for Women and Misses. Select one of these Dresses Monday. A small deposit will hold it until wanted. Most all are new arrivals just shipped from our New York office. Bought from Manufacturers who were forced to shut their doors on hand not moving fast enough. Account of unfavorable weather conditions. Come and share in these remarkable values.

GREAT AFTER EASTER SALE OF NEW SPRING

COATS, CAPES AND WRAPS

VALS. TO \$17.50	VALS. TO \$25.00	VALS. TO \$35.00	VALS. TO \$45.00
\$9.50	\$14.50	\$19.50	\$24.50

Beautiful new Coats, Capes and Wraps. Some are Copies of much higher priced garments. Others are late arrivals that should have been here in time for our Easter business. All are Direct from our New York Office. Bought Thursday and Friday last week at our own Price, from Manufacturers who were forced to take their loss account late season — You'll find stylish new fabrics such as BOLIVIA, VELVET, OVERPLAID, NORWANDIS, SUEDE, FUR, etc. New models include Straightline, Belted, Wrappy, Loose Back, Sports, Buckle Trimmed, Tailored, Embroidered, etc. All newest styles and latest spring shades are represented.

GREAT AFTER EASTER SALE SUITS

VALUES TO \$60

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MONDAY YOU CAN CHOOSE FROM HIGH GRADE QUALITY GARMENTS. ALL NEW STYLE IDEAS, LATEST COLORINGS, TRIMMINGS, ETC. Not left over suits, but Suits that are all new arrivals, shipped by our New York office the last of the week. Bought at extraordinary low price concessions from some of the most prominent Eastern Manufacturers. Specially tailored suits of Faint Tulle, Tricotine and Serge in Tan, Navy and Black. Box Coat, Balkan Blouse and Tailored Models, all sizes at \$19.50 to \$39.50.

TO \$3.50 SILK JERSEY PETTICOATS and \$1.79 PETTICOCKERS

Pretty new silk Jersey petticoats and petticockers, all wanted shades to choose from, made with strong elastic waist and knee. Regular \$3.50 values at \$1.79.

AFTER EASTER SALE UP TO \$8 HATS

\$2.50 \$3.50

The values are so extraordinary that every hat in the collection should be sold before the close of the day. All up to the minute styles, for street, dress or evening wear. For Women, Misses and Matrons, latest mode of Haircloth, Homelair, Milan etc. Trimmed with ribbons, flowers, feathers, etc., all high shades also black hats, at \$2.50 and \$3.50.

GREAT AFTER-EASTER SALE WOMEN'S

\$3.50 NOVELTY SLIPPERS \$1.98

Monday a sale of Women's and Misses' Novelty Footwear that will be long remembered by the ones who take advantage of the wonderful savings offered. CHOOSE FROM A LARGE VARIETY OF PATTERNS, INCLUDING ALL WANTED BABY SLIPPERS, OVER 1,000 YARDS TO CHOOSE FROM, SPECIALLY PRICED FOR MONDAY—BASEMENT DAY

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40-in. "Eagle" all silk crepe de chine, yard.....\$1.98	40-in. Imported satin charmeuse, yard.....\$1.98	40-in. alltime knitted crepe, yard, special.....\$1.98	40-in. Imported Satin Charmeuse, yard.....\$1.98	40-in. satin dress, specially priced, yard.....\$1.98	40-in. Bayonette satin, special for.....\$1.98	36-in. Imported Spanish lace, special for.....\$1.98
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—At the Pines—

PINES BOYS AT CAMP ON LAKE FIND MUD PUPPY

Ten boys spent Tuesday afternoon at the camp on the lake east of the city, and while playing around among the hills and hollows of this delightful place John McGarry and Virgil Collett found a mud puppy, under an old log. This has been added to the natural history collection of The Pines. The puppy is fed and well cared for and is quite an attraction at the present time. Robert Garrett has prepared a paper to be read at the group meetings next week. The puppy belongs to the Salamander family and there are about fifty species of the family.

Mr. Barnett has donated a number of reptiles of various kinds which he has collected in Arizona.

The boys who went on the Tuesday hike were Virgil Collett, Paul Collett, Clifford Mitchell, Sterling Briggs, Leonard Harpole, Arlie Funder, Junior Dempster, Robert Blakney, Robert Leek, and their leader, Dwight Stamper.

TAKE BIG HIKE.

The big hike of the week was taken Wednesday when twenty boys spent the greater part of the day there. The forenoon was spent in getting up wood, water, and putting the camp in good shape. The boys cooked their own dinner and held a short meeting to plan the work and play. The boys interested in the bridge, went to work on it and before time to start home had it nearly completed. Logs were carried for the main spans and smaller ones were sawed and nailed across for the floor.

Another group started cleaning up the ground, the weeds being dry enough to burn and some exciting times were experienced in keeping the fire in the territory to be burned. Hare and Hounds was the game of the afternoon and the hills and rough ground made an ideal place for such a game.

Near the close of the game when all were tired a boy secured a real live rabbit, and as the boys were well scattered poor bunny had a hard time dodging his pursuers. There was real fun for everyone but poor old Bunny. At last the only place unprotected was the branch and Bunny jumped in, swam across and escaped up the old railroad right-of-way.

THOSE ON TRIP.

The boys started home at 8 o'clock, tired, but all claiming an enjoyable vacation day. Those on this trip were: Amos Wrightman, John Wrightman, Arlie Funder, "Buss" Leek, Robert Leek, Art Lanums, Homer Lotts, Farold Conway, Carl Leek, Kenneth Wassersleher, Robert Dow, Wilson Augustine, Paul Collett, Virgil Collett, Kenneth Finnegan, Wilford Six, Robert Christison, Byron Breker, John McGarry and Clifford Mitchell.

EASTER PARTY.

One of the prettiest affairs given at The Pines for some time was the Easter party given for seventy-five children of the Primary Department of East Park Baptist church Friday afternoon. The little folks gathered in the kindergarten room which was

decorated in butterflies and chickens, and rendered a program of songs and readings for their mothers. Refreshments of ice cream and cake and candy were served. The cakes were drop cakes with opera sticks filled with tiny easter egg candy. Then there was an Easter Egg hunt on the east lawn, and the children found colored candy eggs wrapped in oil paper, under the shrubbery, rocks, and even out in the open. It was a most happy event for everyone.

Lion Clan.

The Lion Clan met Tuesday evening, following the regular business meeting the boys made plans for a baseball team. William Barter was elected manager of the team and Robert Young captain. They held their first practice Saturday morning. A special program committee was appointed to arrange for the next meeting. The committee is composed of Clifford Gorman, Arlie Funder and Junior Dempster.

Wolf Clan.

Ross Walton read a paper on "Wolves" at the meeting of the Wolf Clan Thursday evening. His talk was made more interesting with a number of pictures of wolves which he had collected. Ross is known at The Pines as a boy who does everything thoroughly, and his talk was well given and much appreciated. Ross was a member of Group F, which was organized about nine years ago, and has kept up with the work during the past years, and is now leading groups of boys that are older than he was at the time he entered the work. At that time, the boys did not have The Pines Community Center, but the meetings were held in the homes of the members. The work at The Pines is reaching not only boys, but girls and men and women, who meet there for all kinds of meetings.

Pines Notes.
There were no meetings of the girls' class this week on account of the leaders being out of the city. The girls' leaders are school teachers who went to their homes for the Easter vacation.

The Pines orchestra, which meets at the Beach school auditorium on Tuesday evenings for practice, are getting ready for a public concert to be given some time in May.

Walter Gibeaux, caretaker at The Pines, has taken advantage of our first spring days, and has his garden started. He has planted radishes, lettuce, and onions. He is also a great lover of flowers, and has planted two long rows of sweet peas, and is getting flower beds for later planting. Large rocks have been placed around the flower beds, and everyone is looking forward to the time when these beds will be pretty to look upon under Mr. Gibeaux care.

WEEK'S NEWS IN THE HOME BUREAU

Sharon Unit to Have All Day Meeting.

Activities for the week in the Home Bureau in Macon county will include an all-day meeting and a pot luck luncheon for the Sharon unit, Thursday, April 5. The place will be announced later, but the program is ready. Mrs. M. D. Cox will demonstrate the preparation of salads and desserts. Reports of the delegates to the recent clothing school will be heard in the afternoon.

MOUND.

The Mound unit will meet at the home of Mrs. Henry Park, Wednesday afternoon, April 4.

FORSYTH.

The Forsyth unit has arranged for a repetition of the performance of Susie's Kitchen Cabinet band, to be given Friday evening, April 6, in the Methodist church in Forsyth.

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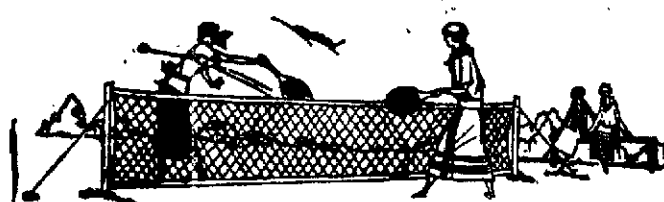
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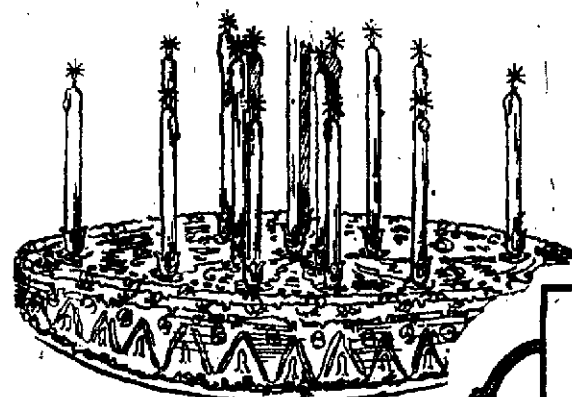


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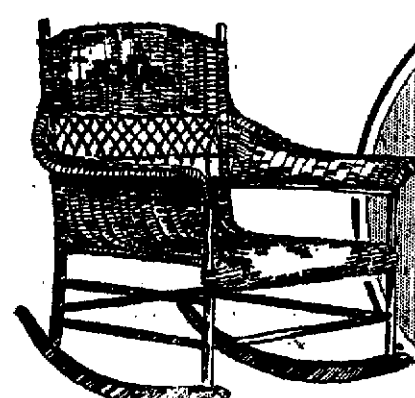
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Beautiful New Spring Reed Suite

This Sun Parlor Suite is finished in the neutral shades of gray with blue and upholstered in some very smart crotones over new spring cushions. Chair or Rocker specially priced at \$22.50
And the five-foot Davenport at \$57.50



Reed Rocker

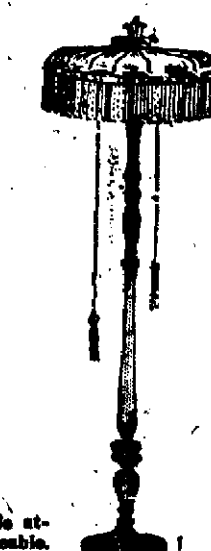
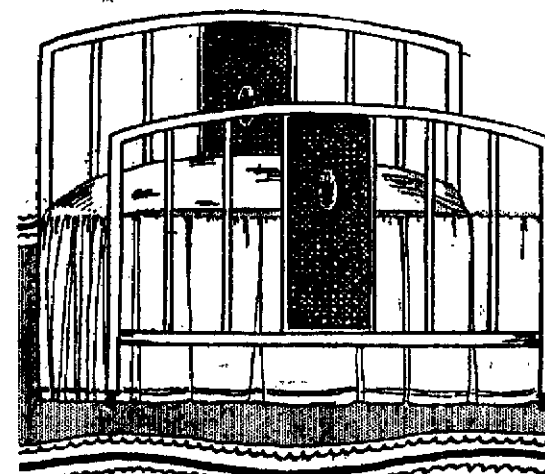
This sturdy fiber rocker of generous proportions, finished in a nut brown color, sold specially during this sale at only \$7.95

Simmon's Newest Steel Bed

One of "Simmons" newest designs in steel beds. Note the attractive steel cane panel, in the center a madallion. Comes equipped with good quality link fabric springs and all cotton mattress. Special during sale only \$38.65

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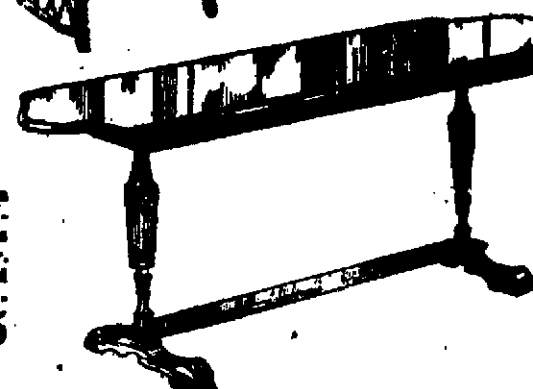
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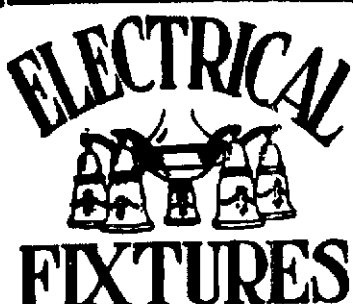
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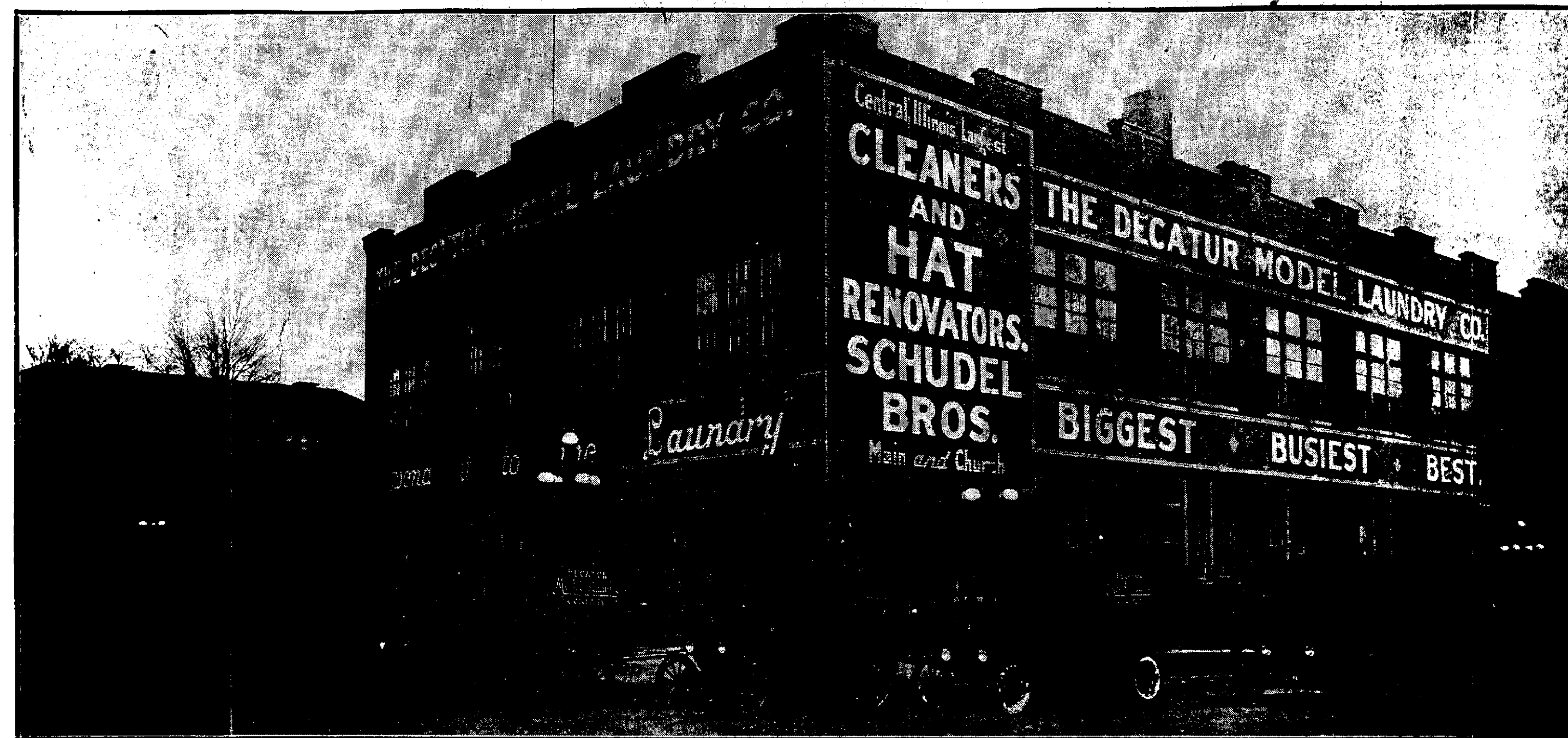
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ROAD PATROLMEN TO BEGIN WORK MONDAY

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DO HEAVY GRADING

County to Use Over 500,000 Gallons Oil.

The Macon county road patrolmen enter upon their season's work Monday. They have already been busy on the roads for two or three weeks but they were working by the day. The road year in this county begins April 1. It is a remarkable fact that the county starts with the same road patrol force that it had throughout last year. This of course signifies that the county road authorities were satisfied with their work last year and the patrolmen are satisfied with their jobs.

PATROLMEN.
The patrol force is as follows:
W. E. Olsen, Argenta, territory north and east of Decatur.
Edgar Hoots, Oakley, territory east of Decatur.
Ben Perkins, Mt. Zion, territory

southeast of Decatur.
C. P. Elder, Decatur, territory southwest of Decatur.
Edgar Adams, Austin township, territory northwest of Decatur.
The patrolmen select their own assistants.

MORE FOR WORK THIS YEAR.
No increase in the road force has been made this year and no new machinery bought. The matter of adding another patrol unit for the southwest corner of the county is being considered and it is likely that this will be done. It is also probable that two new road maintainers will be added to the county equipment. Last year it was necessary to invest a matter of \$25,000 in road machinery and this of course seriously reduced the fund available for actual road work. This year little will be spent for road tools and proportionately more for work.

GRADING.
A good deal of stress will be laid this year on heavy grading which will be done with the large caterpillar tractor and the heavy grader. Last year road work was so badly delayed by the heavy and continued spring rains that not much could be done in the way of heavy grading. This year if the weather permits an early start heavy grades will be put up in various parts of the county. The roadways will be widened to the standard of thirty feet and proper ditches will be opened at the sides. This is work that must be done early

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State Bond Issue Routes Follow Old Trails.

The buffalo was the first road surveyor and first road maker in Illinois. The buffalo trace was the first Illinois highway. The methods of the

in the season before the weeds and grass got well started.

500,000 GALLONS OIL.
The county will use this year 500,000 gallons of oil on the state aid roads and perhaps half as much more. The application of oil depends upon how early the work may be commenced and the condition of the roads. Last year some of the roads were never in proper condition for oiling because of the wet and late spring.

The Review's Road Map Out Next Sunday

Next Sunday, April 8.—The Review will print the new edition of The Review Road Map of Central Illinois. This is the third edition of this map. The last previous edition printed two years ago was pronounced by automobilists the most valuable and practically usable automobile road map that came into their hands. It was so much in demand that several editions were called for and reprinted, a total of 10,000 copies.

The new edition has been thoroughly revised and improved in many ways. It is indeed as much superior to the 1926 edition as that was to the first edition. This map has many valuable features not provided by any road map of Central Illinois hitherto printed.

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was unbroken prairie or forest, behind it was a well worn highway wide enough for an automobile. Used year after year in the migrations of these animals these traces were bitten into the earth in places to a depth of two or three feet.

CHASE BEST ROUTES.
But as a road surveyor the buffalo was positively uncanny. What mysterious instinct taught it to take advantage of terrain, select the best fords, avoid quicksands and swamps and to hold to the most direct routes we do not understand. But we do know that modern surveyors with their transits and levels have not in many cases improved upon the buffalo traces. The B. & O. Southwestern from Lawrenceville to Sumner was laid down on an old buffalo trace and this is true of other Illinois railroads. The nightmare of travel in the early days of Illinois was the passage of fords with their bogs, morasses, hidden rocks and sand bars. The buffalo found the best crossing places. Where the road surveyor's objective is the same as the buffalo's objective the location of the buffalo trace is ideal. These buffalo roads were so indelibly stamped that they remained for years after the buffalo was gone.

INDIAN NEXT.
The Indian was the next Illinois roadmaker. As a road surveyor he was as keen and unerring in his judgment as the buffalo but as a road maker he was greatly inferior.

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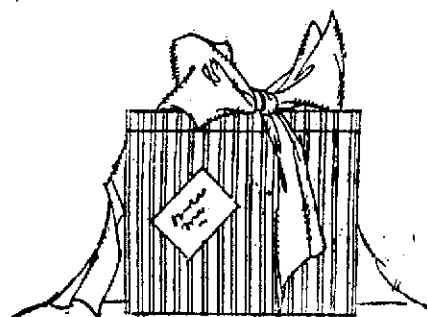


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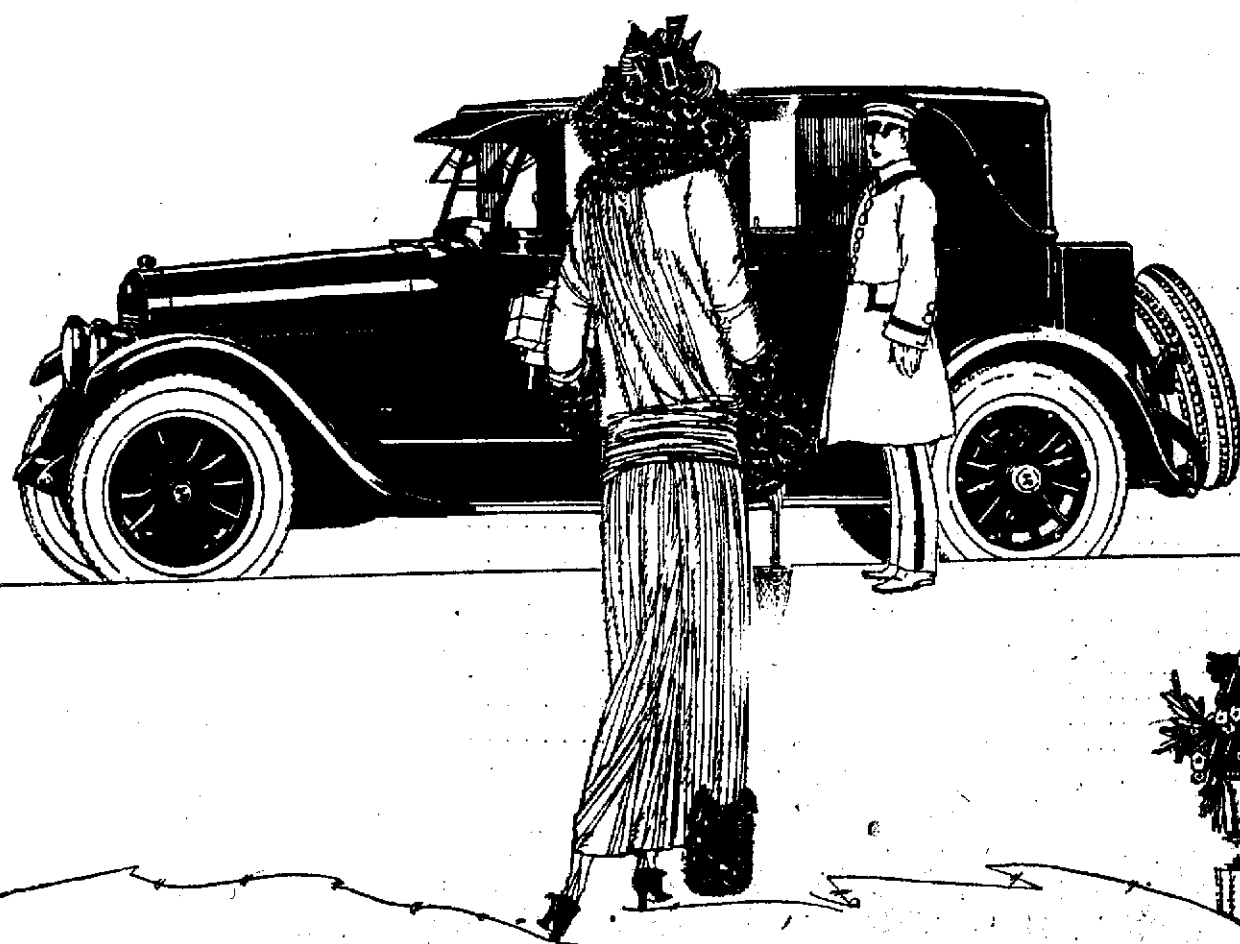
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Route 2 Causes \$201,497
Improvement.

The Bloomington street elevation project to carry the Meridian highway, state bond issue route No. 2, over the Lake Erie & Western and the Four tracks in South Main street will cost \$201,497 according to the estimates of the engineers. It is proposed to divide the cost of this structure between the two railroads, the street car company and the city on a basis of 35 per cent each. The Illinois Commerce Commission has authorized the improvement. The two railroads have appealed from the ruling of the commission to the supreme court. The hearing of the case is set for April 3.

920 FEET LONG.

The total length of the street elevation will be 920 feet or about three blocks. The viaduct will carry the street and the street railway track. It will provide a nineteen foot roadway on each side of the street car tracks and also a five foot walk on each side. The street now dips down from the court house to a natural depression along which run the railroad tracks. The viaduct will bring the street to a level.

The Bloomington newspapers regard the viaduct as essential to public safety when the great state highway is completed and assumes that the supreme court will overrule the objections and authorize the improvement.

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WHO'S TO BE ROAD
BUILDER ON BOARD?

Hackett and Elder Surprised
Authorities.

"Who will be the road builder on the new board of supervisors?" asks a member of the board. He goes on to say: "In 1921 the board had Elmer Elder who distinguished himself as a road builder. At the end of that year Elder went out. Then came George A. Hackett, who had worked with Mr. Elder. Hackett took up the work where Elder had left off and successfully carried it to completion. But I don't know another member of the board that could accomplish what either of these two men did. Who is there who can step into Hackett's shoes?"

ASTONISHED AT WORK
Both Elmer E. Elder and George A.

Hackett, astonished state highway authorities and road contractors in the manner in which they carried out the big county contract. Nobody suspected Mr. Elder with the genius for handling a big construction project when he began. He had the job thrust upon him and he shouldered it because there was no one else at hand to do it. The state engineers watched the work askance, expecting to see the usual piffing politics enter into it. They were astonished at the progress made under Elder's management, the quality of the work and the economy of construction.

SUCCEEDED TO JOB

Mr. Hackett had been an active member of the hard road committee in 1921 and had handled the clerical work and the accounts. When Mr. Elder failed of re-election he naturally succeeded to the road building job and took direct charge of the work in the field. He got off to a bad start owing to a wet spring, had roads and some crippled machinery, and many predicted failure. But when the work got into full swing he demonstrated that he could build roads as successfully as efficiently and as economically as anybody.

TIME AND TALENT.

There is no doubt, latent talent still on the board. It is true that as the member above quoted points out, it is necessary to find a man who not only has the talent but has the time to build roads. "Now, I could not build roads because I don't know how," he added, "but if I knew how I have not the time. I have affairs of my own to look after which would absolutely prohibit me from building roads."

COUNTY TO BID
ON SECTION 51

Has All Machinery Necessary
for Work.

It is understood that Macon county will bid on the construction of Section 51 of Route 2 at the letting in Springfield on April 13. This section is 5 1/2 miles long, extending from the Flood school north of Forsyth to the DeWitt county line north of Macon. This course has not been officially authorized by the board but it is stated that it has been individually sanctioned by the supervisors and unless there should be some unexpected developments the county will make a bid on the section.

HAS MACHINERY.

The county has all of the machinery and equipment necessary for road building and unless this contract is secured it is probable that this machinery will stand idle this year. The county has made money in its road building venture started in 1921 and no doubt secured some payment for the county that otherwise would not have been built at that time. The county contract finished last year was so successfully carried-out that the people of the county will approve the taking of further contracts.

LOW BIDDER

It is admitted that if the county bids on Section 51 there is considerable doubt as to its being the low bidder. The McMahan Construction company, which has the contract for building Section 56 from Decatur to the Flood school, is expected to be a bidder on Section 51. This section joins nicely the section already under contract and the McMahan company wants the contract for the section to be let on the 13th. There is not much doubt that the McMahan company will bid low enough on the new section to give the county a run for its money.

Roads and Road Work

Route 4 Work in Progress.

Activity in road construction has started all along the line of Route 4 from Bloomington across Logan county to the Sangamon county line. At Shirley, Funk's Grove, McLean, Atlanta, Lincoln and other places storage sheds have been built and these are being filled or have already been filled with cement. Stocks of gravel and sand are being accumulated and the Chicago & Alton railroad has built a number of spur tracks for the handling of materials. The Sangamon county section of this road will be let on April 13.

There is quite as much activity along the uncompleted gap in Route 4 from Dwight to Joliet as on the more southern stretch and that gap will be closed by midsummer.

Let Contract April 20.

It is positively announced that the Arcola-Tuscola section of Route 25 will be let by the state highway department on April 20. The distance from Arcola to Tuscola is 7.33 miles.

The road is now let from Mattoon to Arcola and with the letting of the Arcola-Tuscola section the completion of the road from Tuscola to Mattoon this year is assured.

It is authoritatively stated that other sections to be let on April 20 are 4.6 miles in Richland county, 1 mile in Clay county, 5 1/2 miles in Ogle county and 5.55 miles in Franklin.

The April 20 letting gives Macon county one more chance for the letting of the portions of Route 2 south of Decatur. With the exception of three or four bits of right of way this is ready for letting and it will be entirely ready before April 20.

Arcola Votes Tuesday.

Arcola township will vote next Tuesday on the proposition to pave the Springfield road, the D. T. S. Trail, through that township. The plan is to issue long term bonds, the road not to be built until the county is prepared to meet its half of the cost. In Douglas county the county meets

the townships fifty-fifty in paying the cost of paving. Tuscola and Garrett townships will vote on the proposition to issue road bonds next Tuesday, the proceeds to pay the townships portion of the cost of paving the Ocean to Ocean Highway through those townships. Camargo, Murdock and Newman townships have already issued bonds for the pavement of this road through those townships.

Logan Way Discussion.

There is dissension in the ranks of the Logan Way organization according to a report from the north end of this highway. A Tazewell county faction is opposing the air line route from Decatur to Peoria paralleling the P. D. & E. railroad. They would have it turn north from Lincoln to Mackinaw where it would join the present bond issue Route 9. The original plan provided that the route should continue along the Peoria division of the Illinois Central to Emmons, thence due north about twenty miles, thence veering slightly west into Peoria.

The dissension which appears just as the highway bill is ready to go before the legislature is regarded as especially serious. A meeting has

been called to take steps to oppose this new plan and urge the route as originally planned upon the state highway department.

Approve Bond Issue.

The board of supervisors of Peoria county has voted approval of the hundred million dollar road bond issue and recommend that the proposition be submitted to the people.

To Vote On Oil Tax.

Jonathan Creek township in Moultrie county will next Tuesday vote on a proposition to levy a tax of 63 cents on the 100 dollars for oiling roads. It is stated that this is the only township in the north part of the county that has no oiled roads. But Highway Commissioner Frank McDonald last year did a fine job of grading and leveling roads and they are said to be now in excellent condition to receive oil.



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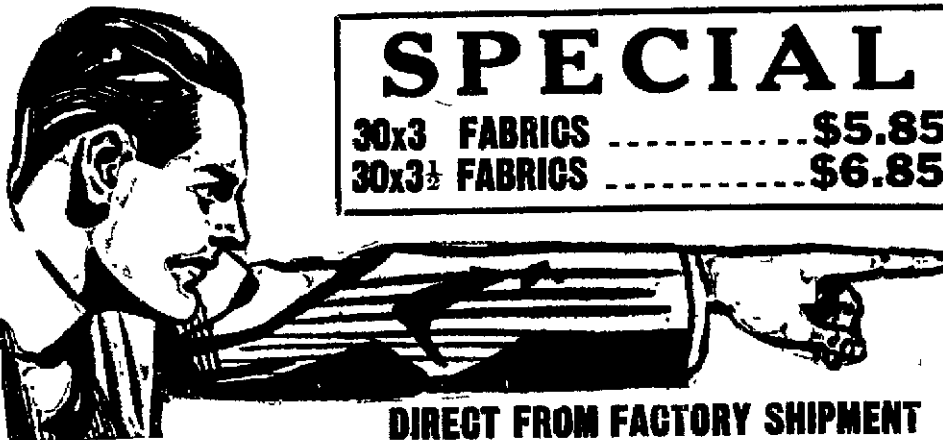
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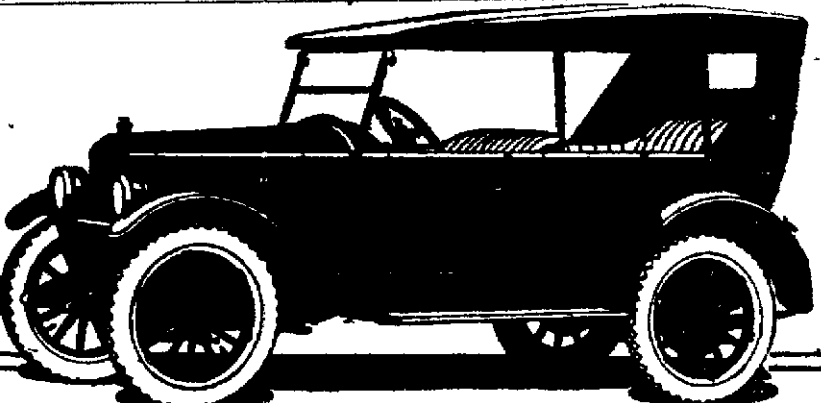
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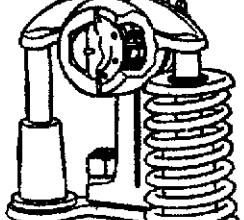
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France Sincere; Wants Only War Debts From Germany, Is Claim

Ruhr Invasion Single Purposed, Says Premier

Poincare Denies Occupation Prompted by Desire for More Territory.

BY MILTON BRONNER.
(Copyright, 1923.)
Paris, March 31.—What is France's game in the Ruhr? Her only game is to get the money Germany owes her. Nothing more; nothing less.
It was Stephen Lauzanne who told me so, and he ought to know. Not only is he editor-in-chief of Le Matin, one of the most influential papers in France, but he is on most intimate terms with Premier Poincare and all the men who now compose the government.

UNBOSOMS SELF.
"Mon cher Raymond" (Poincare unbosoms himself to his "cher Stephane") so that he may know just what's what when he writes his powerful editorials.
I came to Paris to find out just what Poincare meant to do in his critical and crucial Ruhr enterprise. French officials advised me to see Lauzanne, he would speak with full knowledge.

FIXED BY ALLIES
Question No. 1: It is charged by the enemies of France that, taking advantage of clauses in the Versailles treaty, she has made demands upon Germany so high she can't fulfill them and that France does not expect she will fulfill them. Is this true or false?

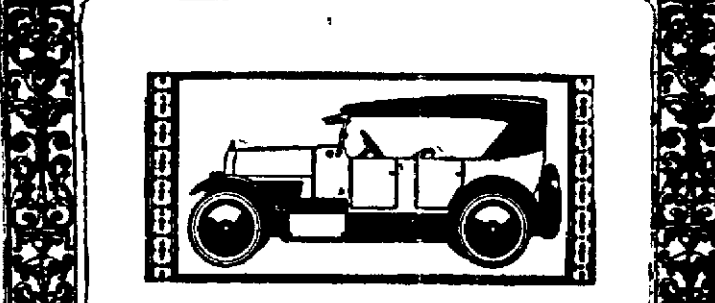
Said Lauzanne: "The demands made upon Germany for reparations (\$12,000,000,000) were not made by France alone. The figure was fixed in London in May, 1923, and the schedule of payment, which was then adopted by common agreement, was signed by Great Britain, Italy, Japan and Belgium, as well as by France."

CALLED REASONABLE.
"Nobody said then that the schedule of payment was exaggerated and Lloyd George declared in the House of Commons that it was reasonable."

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Question No. 2: Taking advantage of Germany's failure to pay, it is charged France has marched into the Ruhr intending to stay there, either annexing the Ruhr and the Rhineland, or setting up a buffer state. Does France ever expect to leave the Ruhr?

Lauzanne replied: "The charge is untrue and ridiculous. Every cent



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Lauzanne replied: "France will never annex the Rhineland or the Ruhr; but France will remain in the Rhineland and the Ruhr as long as Germany will not pay what she owes to France."
"In other words, the Rhineland and Ruhr are considered by the French as a mortgage guaranteeing payment. When the payments are made, the mortgage will have to be released and the bullfights will leave the premises."

SAME IN 1871.
"Germany did exactly the same thing to us in 1871 and the whole world, including America, approved what Germany did. The last German soldier left French soil in September, 1873, eleven days after the last French million had been paid."

Question No. 3: The charge has been publicly printed in England that the French march into the Ruhr was at first inspired by a French syndicate of steel masters which desired a union with German coal and steel masters, in which the French would control sixty per cent of the stock. Is it true that French big business got Poincare to go into the Ruhr?

Lauzanne replied: "Not only has the 'Comite des Forges' not inspired the march into the Ruhr, but it was more or less against it. Precisely because the committee is in favor of a union with German steel masters they could not be enthusiastic about a march into the Ruhr which is especially directed against the German coal and steel masters."

Question No. 4: Isn't this entire Ruhr campaign really an attempt to destroy Germany economically and break her up into little states?

ONLY WANTS MONEY.
Lauzanne replied: "No more than Germany occupying nineteen French departments in 1871, desired to break up France into little states. Germany wanted only to collect the money. France today wants only to get her money."

Question No. 5: The charge has also been printed in English papers that of the billions of francs voted by your parliament for reconstructing northern France, huge sums were diverted and sent to little nations for military purposes and that only recently 400 million francs were advanced to Poland for the army. Is this true?

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Lady Astor Leads War On British Wet Forces

Nation Rises To Support Her Bill Protecting Youths of Empire From Drink.

The American noble woman has become the chief opponent of the liquor interests in Great Britain. Efforts of a committee to emendate her bill protecting youths has aroused resentment through England.
Conservative leaders, who draw party revenues from the liquor trade, may have to force her out of her party.
Meanwhile public sentiment continues to run against the Bonar Law policies and the Ruhr situation again becomes acute.

BY A. G. GARDINER (Britain's Greatest Liberal Editor) (Copyright, 1923)

London, March 31.—Lady Astor, always one of the most attractive personalities in parliament, just now is the center of a raging battle. Nominally she sits with the Conservatives, but no system of party control can dominate so imperious and individual a character. More often she is in sympathy with the Liberal element, rather than with her own Conservatives, and her courage and indifference to consequences is marked.

Never was there a more independent member of the house. She says and does whatever appeals to her sense of justice, no matter who howls her down. Everybody likes her. Some members laugh at her. Her own party fears her. But all respect her. Her gaiety, manner and wit delight the house and her friends are legion.

HURTS BOMBHELL.
But she has thrown a veritable bombshell into the ranks of the Conservatives. One of the very best political fighters in public life, her intense conviction and unconquerable good humor prevent her ever knowing that she is beaten. And the Conservative leaders are very seriously asking each other what is to be done with so troublesome an ally, who always is firing broadsides into their flank.

The question now has become acute since she has introduced and is pressing her bill to prevent the sale of liquor to persons under eighteen. Although neither intensely religious nor a teetotaler, Lady Astor fights the drink evil in season and out. She wants to abolish the entire industry. But her party always has been supporters of the brewers and distillers. The alliance has been notorious for generations and the bulk of the Con-

servative funds come from the drink trade.

CALL IT TREACHERY.
Lady Astor's resourceful campaign against the wets has aroused passionate resentment. Party leaders regard it as rank treachery and ingratitude. But here is one woman who does not care the proverbial fig and who laughs and lays on.

Her latest attack on the brewers brought the matter to a head. It was decided "enfant terrible" must be taught a lesson. But how? The Conservative leaders cannot rebuke her publicly because popular opinion is on her side. An attempt was made to nullify the bill through the insertion of "knowingly," which would leave the door wide open for the public housekeepers selling to young people and claiming they could not know their age.

Lady Astor has announced she will not permit this amendment and will fight it in the open. She will attack the action of the committee when its report is made to the house.

HAS POWERFUL SUPPORT.
She is certain of powerful support inasmuch as public sentiment is lined up against the wets because of the manner in which they have profited since the war. Lady Astor, as a result of the action of the committee, now has become the chief opponent of the publicans in parliament, and she announces she will give them no rest. This makes it an acute problem for the Conservative leaders to settle how long they can tolerate so formidable an opponent in their ranks.

The tide of public opinion runs heavily against the government not alone on this issue but also because of its failure to adopt a sincere policy concerning the Ruhr. The attacks this week in parliament were significant. Asquith has determined that the government must face the issue of endorsing Germany's proposal for an international inquiry to cover these questions:

How much has Germany paid? How much can she pay? How can she pay it?

In such an inquiry all of the facts would be developed. This entire subject will become acute again, when the Easter holidays are over.

It is just as well that the world should realize this fact now and always. The French government's misadventures have caused trouble. Its methods have been and still are too weak. The German government, despite its angry words, dare not go any further with its passive resistance program. Thus things drag on and both sides dig themselves in for an indeterminate period as during the war.

CANNOT LAST.
This passivity cannot last forever. If, after the Easter vacation, the French government has not discovered a way to elicit results it must give way to another which will.

No French government under existing conditions dare evacuate the Ruhr. The problem now is to make the occupation a success economically and politically. If the Poincare government shall become too like the Danneberg ministry of 1917 it will be followed by a new control which would be to it as was that of Clemenceau to Poincare. Similar causes produce similar effects.

SUCCESS ONLY CURE.
Indeed the present international confusion can be cured only by success of the French venture. Thursday's debate in the house of commons illustrates this fact. Lloyd George was to speak and assail France. At the last moment his former secretary, Sir Edward Grigg, spoke in his place and his speech was so pitiful that it is very evident that should the Ruhr adventure, by vigorous handling succeed all England's objections will be overcome and will quickly melt away.

The confusion existing is what has produced the present misunderstanding. Everybody feels that no one is willing to carry anything to a logical conclusion. In short the policy of pussy-footing, which I so frequently condemn, persists.

DEMAND SETTLEMENT.
The world demands that France force a settlement. It is absolutely certain that if such a settlement comes both London and Washington will approve. They won't quibble over details but will approve definite action. The entire world is hungry for results and the country that is able to get them will have an undisputed leadership in the years to come.

The great energies released by the war have been laid to sleep by lack of force in governments. Nothing seems important. Nothing seems worth while. We just wait. But this mournful waiting, through psychological in origin, has its economic effect throughout Europe. Neither Cuno's, nor Bonar Law's, nor Poincare's policies—or lack of them—strike a responsive chord in the heart of the people. It is just a pretty struggle between weak wills. It has had a depressing effect especially as speeches continue and acts do not follow.

WILL DUMBFOUND.
We are too near passing events to appraise them judiciously but I personally think historians will be dumbfounded when they consider the petty difficulties which have seemed unsurmountable to nations that overcome such enormous ones during the war. The idea of national obligations has lost its force and solidarity. Each nation, with empty words is seeking its own interest whether in the east or the west.

We have returned empty handed from every conference. That ought to be a sufficient lesson to us all. Yet on no horizon do we see either solution or appeal.

COUNTER PLOTS WORRY BERLIN

Government, Monarchists and Communists Busy with Hidden Forces.

BY MAXIMILIAN HARDEN. (Germany's Foremost Publicist) (Copyright, 1923)

Berlin, March 31.—Talk of insurrection within the next few days is being circulated by the monarchists. Instead of the sacred thoughts of the resurrection on the very eve of Easter the people are being fed with the devil's gospel of revolt.

Such reports, as circumstantial as they are, in other countries would create a very great sensation. Here it is different. Such talk has been common. It is fostered by the government.

HAVE LITTLE POWER.
It should be remembered that since the murder of Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg four years ago the dangers of a revolution from the Communist element have been negligible. Even in the Munich uprising in 1919 only twelve people were killed while in putting it down the government troops killed 500 and many were imprisoned.

The Communists are so badly divided that they have absolutely no responsible leaders. None the less the political upstarts now ruling Germany are perhaps all some day be compelled to favor on the former rulers are very careful to insist that Bolshevism is equally dangerous with reaction. The man in the street knows this to be an exaggeration according to his outlook.

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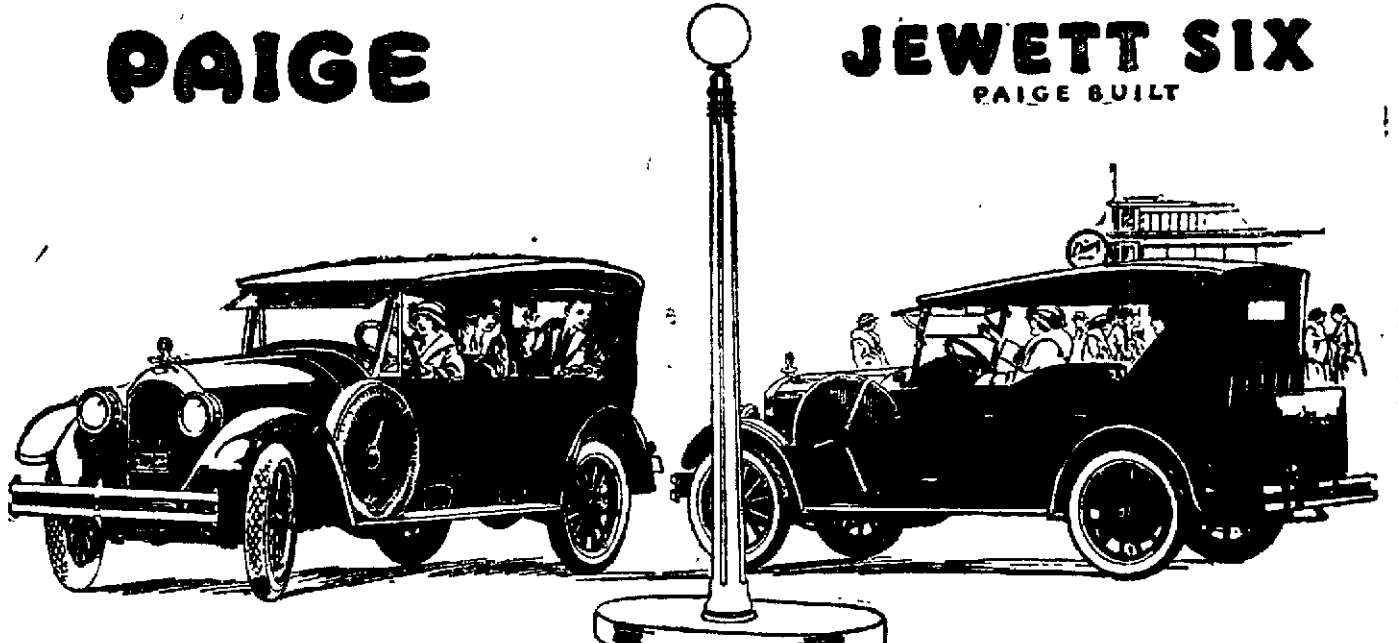
pear ridiculous because the government was afraid of what might happen in Bavaria while Chancellor Cuno was anxious to appear on the Munich stage, win applause through the melody he was sung so often that now it is very stale. Careful students realize this but the rank and file, who are anxious to be self deceived, saw in Cuno's performance a great success. Therefore the chancellor permitted his Prussian minister of the interior, a Social Democrat, to unveil a new conspiracy which of course was to originate in Bavaria.

The only person who could be surprised that reactionary tendencies of the worst description are hiding behind the title of "German popular party of freedom" would be he who does not know the German mentality. The present government affords free freedom of speech than under the Kaiser.

IDEA OF FREEDOM.
Freedom, as the "German popular party of freedom" knows it, consists in attempting to restore the monarchy, start a war of revenge, persuade the ignorant that all German survivors are due to the Jews, although the latter constitute less than one per cent of the total population. This party proposes to kill them or to transport them in cattle trucks to Jerusalem. The party regards all Socialists also as in the same category and that therefore all in the government must be driven out.

Bavaria, once the deadly enemy of militarism, has been the center of reaction since 1919. The greatest university preaches resistance to the Versailles treaty, arguing that such action will be justified by the fact that the treaty was signed under compulsion. Ludendorff, Hitler and other Fascist leaders imagine that with Cuno's support they are at liberty to attack the Socialists. But the many, who perhaps will some day be compelled to favor on the former rulers are very careful to insist that Bolshevism is equally dangerous with reaction. The man in the street knows this to be an exaggeration according to his outlook.

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War on Baby Clinic Enters City Election

Law Extremely Strict on Giving Pledges or Promising Support by Candidate or Public Citizens.

War on Decatur's famous baby clinic and child welfare work as conducted by the city health department and on which a number of the doctors of Decatur made a fight some months ago is being carried into the present election.

That he had driven one such clinic out of another town and that he would drive the baby welfare work as conducted in Decatur out of this city is said to have been the boast of one Decatur doctor who has not been a citizen of Decatur very long but who has taken an active part in the fight on the work which is acknowledged to have been of enormous benefit to the health and welfare of Decatur's greatest asset—the babies.

FOUGHT MATTER. It is well known that before the primary this group of doctors made a fight on John Mattes because of his unwavering support of the baby saving work in Decatur.

Mr. Mattes never hesitated about the work which the city has been doing for the babies. When the funds of the city were not sufficient it is known to his close friends that he contributed liberally from his own pocket to support this work which has been so effective in bringing down the death rate of babies in this community.

CUT FINANCIAL RETURNS. Without mincing words Mr. Mattes frankly told the doctors who objected to the work being done, not on the ground that it was injurious to the babies, not on the ground that anyone was making any money out of it or that the work was being poorly done, but solely on the ground that it was getting into their financial preserves, that they, the doctors, were balancing babies against dollars. Bitter was the fight made on this institution by certain of the physicians who claimed that the work was intruding on their work and taking patients who might otherwise pay them.

Now that Mr. Mattes is out of the way the doctors who are warring on the baby welfare work have transferred the fight to the election and in so doing they are treading very close to the limit of the law on

bribery and fraud as applied to city elections for commissioner.

VIOLATED LAW. When a group of doctors, as they recently did, asked one candidate for commissioner to pledge himself to discharge Mrs. Ruth Sweeney, the city nurse, and William Harding, health officer, as the price of their support, it is charged they violated the law which is very explicit on this point. The candidate to whom they put the question was indignant at being put in that position and made no pledge saying that his inclination at that time was to tell them to go to a certain place where the parks must be very popular.

CAN NOT MAKE PLEDGES. Under the law any candidates for commissioner or mayor who gives any such pledge stands in danger of losing his office even if he should be elected and those who solicit such pledges stand in danger of fine or imprisonment, or both.

Conviction of a successful candidate of securing votes by pledges or other valuable consideration acts automatically as his resignation from that office.

WHAT THE LAW SAYS.

The statute is very clear and sweeping.

"Any candidate for any office authorized to be voted for under this act, who shall, directly or indirectly, enter into any understanding or agreement to do or not to do any official act in the event of his election to the advantage of any person, firm, corporation or association in consideration for the influence, support and assistance of said person, firm, corporation or association to bring about the election of such candidate shall be deemed guilty of giving or offering to give a bribe, and if convicted thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$500 or by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding thirty days, or both, in the discretion of the court, and if elected to office, he shall be deemed to have resigned such office by reason of such conviction."

PROVIDES FINE. The statute also specifically provides for the imposition of a fine of

not to exceed \$300 or thirty days in the county jail, or both, on any person offering to perform any service for any candidate in consideration of any money or "other valuable consideration."

LITTLE CHANGE.

Many stories with no foundation being circulated.

Actual political conditions are little changed on the surface. In fact it is doubtful if there is much change even under the surface.

"Shucks" said a wheel horse in the game who recognizes the futility of much of the discussion that goes on. "We get together and we campaign each other and how many votes do we change—mighty few!"

MANY STORIES OUT. Political stories are circulating in abundance and there are a number of them that are not creditable to those who tell them. The usual scare stuff is appearing. K. K. K. letters, quite obviously "phony," as one man said who had seen them, are being received in different parts of town, sent out unquestionably for political effect and to create prejudice. Statements purporting to tell of secret meetings of the Knights of Columbus are being peddled, they too being in the same class with the K. K. K. stuff.

AGAINST ZONING.

The vote cast by Alex Van Praag, commissioner of streets, against the zoning ordinance last week is in effect against the city plan as the zoning is the heart of that policy.

The vote against the favorable report on the ordinance is looked upon as being purely political and while it may secure the votes of the few who have corner lots which they want to fill with houses, regardless of yard space, it is believed that the loss of votes by those who approve this modern way of developing a real city whereby the value of everybody's property is protected, will far outweigh the gain of the real estate "corner" support.

His vote against the only method whereby a park can possibly be obtained for the north and northwest section of the city, supported by the other four members of the council, did not help him any. His motion for the granting of the petition of the north enders for a park without providing any means for getting it, fell flat.

TO VOTE FOR TWO.

Those who have been working the

CANADA FINDS TASK COSTLY

Dominion Spends \$60,000,000 in Operation Railway Lines.

BY JOHN GARDINER.
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Montreal, March 31.—It has cost the Dominion of Canada \$60,000,000 and more to learn that government ownership and control of Canadian rail-

ways is not the clinch that many shrewd politicians predicted it would be. Today the leaders are seeking a way out.

When George Graham, acting minister of railways, addressed the house of commons on Friday he told a story that was not lacking in fine points, the finest point being that the government would be required to vote just \$73,130,015 to meet the Canadian railways deficit. The Graham report emphasized the fact that the government owned and operated railways still remain the outstanding burden upon the tax payers of Canada and indicated only meager progress in the way of improvement and betterment of the situation. The report brought home to the dominion taxpayers that for many years to come yearly deficits, running into tens of millions of dollars, will continue to drain the federal treasury.

DEEP IN HOLE.

Careful consideration now must be given to the fact that despite the fact that the operation of the whole system of railways, paying lines, political lines, crimples and cutoffs, showed a surplus, the country went \$60,000,000 in the hole. By dint of hard work the government owned lines pinched out a \$2,000,000 operating surplus when more than \$60,000,000 was needed. Under present population and traffic conditions, it is declared, it is well nigh impossible to realize such a sum.

The old Grand Trunk, now swallowed in the maw of government control lifted its operating surplus last year from \$1,300,000 to \$12,000,000 under the able management of Howland Kelley, an American trained railway man and his body guard of railroad lieutenants. There was no political interference with them. Politicians are blamed for \$50,000,000 hugnabo that stares Canada in the face.

FAITH ON THOMPSON.

Canada is pinning her faith upon Sir Henry Thompson, the new chief of the nationally operated railways and the dominion's "white hope." He is another graduate of the Pennsylvania system. The work that has been carved out for him is to turn the operating deficit of the whole system into an assured surplus. The question is whether Canada will give him time. He must also contend with the political financiers at Ottawa who have made Canada's railway history read like a cross between a comic opera and a criminal record.

It is generally admitted that in assuming the management of the railways, Canada did not cut her coat according to the cloth. Sir Henry, faced by the \$60,000,000 ogre, must do some expert tailoring to make the Canadian people willing to wear another deficit.

COUNTER PLOTS WORRY BERLIN

(Continued from Page Twenty-seven)

he owes his position to the Jew Berlin.

Nobody here is much worried. Everybody realizes hatred against the French is easily stirred up. The Monarchists are unlikely to move storm troops against the national government. The danger can become serious only when the settlement of the Ruhr account has to be met, when unemployment is general and when Cuno who said "no" like Brockdorff Rantzau at Versailles is compelled to make the inevitable concessions through someone else who is sure to be described as a traitor or a weakling. No one yet is anxious to under-

take this role, so Cuno remains in the saddle and Monarchist plots are discussed and, by the initiated, regarded as equivalent to the comedies which the medieval church staged at Easter time.

Serve Cottage Pie.
London Answers—Dinner — "Look here, waiter, I've found several pieces of straw in this pie."
Waiter—"That's all right, sir, cottage pie—evidently thatched."

COMMISSIONERS ARE ELECTED TO SERVE THE PUBLIC, AND SUPERVISE THE DETAIL WORK OF THE SEVERAL DEPARTMENTS.



They should possess efficiency and ability not only in one, but in all departments, that the interests of the people may not suffer.

Courteous treatment and careful consideration should characterize their every act, that no one can say, "I did not receive a just hearing."

My experience as City Comptroller, should be invaluable to the Commission. If you think it would be grateful for one of your votes.

Yours very truly,

Arthur L. McNabb
—CANDIDATE FOR—
COMMISSIONER

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WILDER & WILDER

129 N. MAIN STREET

What Is The Issue?

My accomplishments and record as mayor of Decatur are well known to the citizens of this city. You, Mr. and Mrs. Voter will be the judge and jury on election day and I am going to put my case squarely before you through the press between now and election so that you will have a clear view of the real issues.

My opponent's advertising before and since the primaries has been largely a denial of his affiliation with a certain organization.

A DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES

My experience as mayor of Decatur has taught me to know what the citizens of this city expect from chief executive.

The best results can only be obtained through a close co-operation between the chief executive, the city council and the public. I had this co-operation during my past administrations and will endeavor to bring about this condition again if elected to act in the official capacity as your mayor.

There is nothing more distasteful to me than the clamor of the street bordering on religious difference. It is well known to those people who know me personally or who have watched my actions when mayor that a man's creed or nationality made no difference when seeking an audience with me or when asking a favor.

The thinking people of this community do not want, nor will they tolerate factionalism. I urge you, the people of Decatur, regardless of your religious belief to stamp out any movement which is not above-board and square, as such movements have but one destiny—destruction of principles of freedom laid down by our forefathers who came to this country because they could worship God as they chose.

I have made a study of civic affairs and tried to handle the office of mayor on a business basis. How well I have succeeded is a matter of record. The hundreds of knotty problems which confront the council are, after all, a matter of business, and good or bad judgment loses or saves the city great sums of money.



What Other Qualifications Has My Opponent?

What is Mr. Elder's platform?
What business policies has he mapped out?
The voter wants to know this—so do I.
False issues get us no where.

Why not make an issue of things that will have to do with city affairs?

DAN DINNEEN FOR MAYOR

THE MAN WHO MADE GOOD

BANKS ARGUE CREDIT PRICE

Federal Reserve Men Face Commodity Price Question.

BY HARDEN COLFAX
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Washington, March 31.—Governors of the twelve federal reserve banks who have been meeting here this week with members of the federal reserve board have gone back home to settle locally and with their own institutions whether the price of credit shall be increased as a curb to speculation. Any action looking to a rise in rediscount rates will have to originate with the reserve banks and will not be brought about by the action of the board itself. This explains the statement issued after their recent meeting here.

The question as to what, if anything, shall be done to put the brakes on rising costs of commodities and on stock speculation, therefore will be answered in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Cleveland and other federal reserve bank cities and not in Washington. If a federal reserve bank in any of these cities believes that its rediscount rate should be advanced, it may make application to the board here for authority to make the advance. The board will then take the subject under advisement and render its decision.

MUST BE APPROVED.

But before any federal reserve bank acts the question must be placed before its directors and the application to raise the rate approved by them. As these directors are private business men and bankers, and not officials of the United States government, the problem will thus be determined not by the government but

by the financial, industrial and commercial interests of the country acting through their representatives. With the rate-increase problem thus passed back to the governors of the reserve banks, and with their action dependent upon the wishes of their respective boards of directors, it is difficult to form an accurate forecast of what the next step will be. Indications however, militate against a general or uniform increase. It is regarded as quite unlikely that all of the banks will seek to raise the rate because at the present time the volume of rediscounts is comparatively small and an increase in the rate, in most sections, would probably fail to accomplish a great deal anyhow.

It is quite possible, however, that within the next 2 weeks one or two of the eastern banks will make application for authority to announce a higher rate.

REVIEW CONDITIONS.

In addition to the usual routine discussion of financial affairs, the governors and the board at their meetings this week reviewed general business conditions at length. They found the situation healthy and improving throughout most of the United States. Speculation, according to reports placed before them, has been confined chiefly to the eastern section. Nearly all of the banks have huge reservoirs of credit available for further legitimate expansion of business activities.

Of late, however, private capital has been so abundant that there has been little call for rediscounts. One of the biggest of the banks has done so little rediscount business within the past month that this phase of its activity has hardly paid expenses.

NEAR MAXIMUM.

The survey of business conditions placed before the governors disclosed industrial and commercial activity at a point near the maximum; labor employed at full time capacity, prices and wages advancing, and buying power great. With the possible exception of agriculture, virtually every

line of business activity showed marked indication for further continuance of activity and measurable expansion. Foreign trade was reported as holding up well with prospects of increasing in volume.

Within the next few months, the governors were advised, the heavy volume of advance buying probably will result in a degree of industrial activity limited only by plant capacity, the labor supply, transportation facilities and credit.

TRAFFIC HEAVY.

Freight traffic surpasses all previous peak movements for this season; the volume of building construction tops that of a year ago; automobile production was heavier in March than in any other March in history; the steel industry is measured as operating at about 90 per cent of capacity with mills and furnaces idle for years having recently been put back into service; copper, lead, zinc, textiles, leather and petroleum are swinging into upward stretches, both as to prices and volume of production.

The foregoing reports and others of similar tenor, placed before the governors, created a feeling that while a measure of caution might be advisable in guarding against inflation in specific industries, the ways and woe of the fabric of American business is strong and sound at the present time. Speculative tendencies have been manifested in only a few of the country's markets; the rest, in the opinion of the meeting, are progressing in sane, prosperous and gratifying fashion.

SEE DECREASE IN BRITISH CONVICTS

London.—England today is supporting fewer poor persons and fewer prisoners than at any time since 1911. Thirteen years ago there were 117 indigent persons to each 10,000, of population living at the expense of the state, compared to 70 today.

In 1911 the inmates of prisons and reformatories averaged 13.6 per 10,000 population as against 8.3 at the present time.

DEMOS EYE COLORADO

Watch Wilson - McAdoo Sweet Appointment Case.

BY ROBERT T. SMALL
(Copyright, 1923)

Washington, March 31.—What will happen to the re-asserted leadership of Woodrow Wilson if Governor Sweet of Colorado refuses the former president's request that he appoint Huston Thompson to the United States senate?

Also, what will happen to Governor Sweet? Will Woodrow Wilson denounce him as a "willful one" if he declines to heed the plea from "S" street?

And again, what will happen to Mr. McAdoo and Mr. Bryan if Governor Sweet declines to appoint the young Mr. Shafroth urged by them?

IS STORM CENTER.

Unwittingly the governor of Colorado, who until now has remained somewhat nationally obscure, has become the storm center of national Democratic politics and has it with in his power either to squelch or give impetus to some budding presidential boom. From all reports, Governor Sweet is enjoying the limelight which so suddenly has been played upon him and is going to take his own sweet time about announcing a successor to the late Senator Sam Nicholson. The governor argues that a senator wouldn't do the commonwealth much good anyway until next December, but there is no chance that the politicians will let him wait that long before making up his mind.

POT BOILS MERRILY.

The Colorado senatorship scramble, coming on the very heels of the "renomination" of Mr. Harding by Attorney General Daugherty, has set the political pot to boiling as it never boiled before in an "off year" and the old politicians are rubbing their hands in glee at the prospect of the long, hard struggle before them. Like the war horses of old, they scent the battle from afar and are anxious to get into the fray.

WILSON TO SPEAK.

On top of the news that Mr. Wilson had injected himself into the Colorado situation, comes the claim from Kansas that the former president will be the principal speaker at the Washington Day dinner of the Kansas State Democratic club in 1924. This announcement is made by O. E. Snyder, secretary of the club, who says he has received a telegram of acceptance from Mr. Wilson. The latter was the speaker at the Kansas dinner in 1912 and the Democrats out there say they believe he will bring good luck in 1924 as he did twelve years before.

Confirmation of the Kansas en-

agement is lacking here in Washington, although it is quite generally believed that Mr. Wilson has expressed the hope that he may go to Kansas for a keynote speech next year.

Persons close to the former president say that if it were necessary for Mr. Wilson to journey to Kansas today and make a political speech he could do it, so pronounced has become his physical improvement. His voice is reported as both clear and strong. There still is some impairment in his walk, but otherwise he is keenly alert and interested in all that is going on in the world. It is extremely doubtful if Mr. Wilson could stand the strain of a series of speeches, even a year hence, and all idea that he might enter a rough and tumble political campaign is out of the question.

DIFFERENT MAN.

The most amazing feature of the Colorado situation is that two days after Mr. Wilson recommended to Governor Sweet the appointment of his friend, Huston Thompson, Mr. McAdoo should see fit to wire to the Colorado executive the wish that he would appoint an entirely different man.

Politicians here are wondering if this is an effort on the part of Mr. McAdoo to show his independence of his distinguished father-in-law, coupled with a determination to go it alone in his quest for the presidential nomination next year. Some of Mr. McAdoo's best friends believed that the "crown prince" yoke, which was saddled on him during the convention days in 1920, was decidedly a detriment at that time. Others have held that to be in consonance with the views of Mr. Wilson in 1920 would prove a real asset to any presidential aspirant.

NOT ALWAYS CORDIAL.

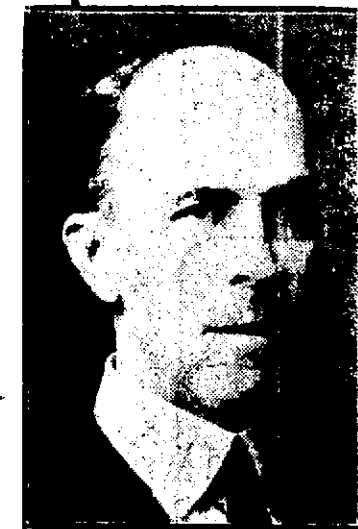
Naturally the Colorado incident has caused some casting back by the politicians and some of them profess to see now that the entente between Mr. Wilson and Mr. McAdoo was not always of the most cordial character. But the paramount question of the day is whether or not Mr. Wilson has placed himself in a position to get a real rebuff and serious political setback if Governor Sweet does an Axis act and defies the Wilsonian lightning by refusing to name Mr. Thompson to the senate.

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TOM PITNER



CANDIDATE FOR
COMMISSIONER
— OF —
PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY

My Friends—Who are They?

Long experience in politics has taught me that it is those who should be natural friends and allies, who are most likely to be restless and to let the color of a candidates necktie or some other trifle, bring them to a state of doubt as to how they will vote. They sometimes forget the record of years and let idle gossip convince them that they have at last found a leopard who has changed his spots.

I have spent the entire forty-seven years of my life in Decatur and it has been my joy to make friends and keep them. I have never misused my friends and nearly all whom I have classed as friends are still my friends. And until now I have never asked my friends to do anything for me, though many times I have asked them to do something for others for whom I have vouched.

It thus comes about that I can at this moment count friends in all parts of the city who have never been with me in any of the campaigns in which I have been active in the past fifteen years, but who for some reason have enough respect for me and confidence in me, to voluntarily offer help in this campaign. So long as city commissioners are representing the whole city and not some part of it, I believe that it speaks well of any candidate to have a substantial vote in all parts, and nothing that I know of makes it either sensible or good politics to refuse help from anybody who determines that I am worthy of their support.

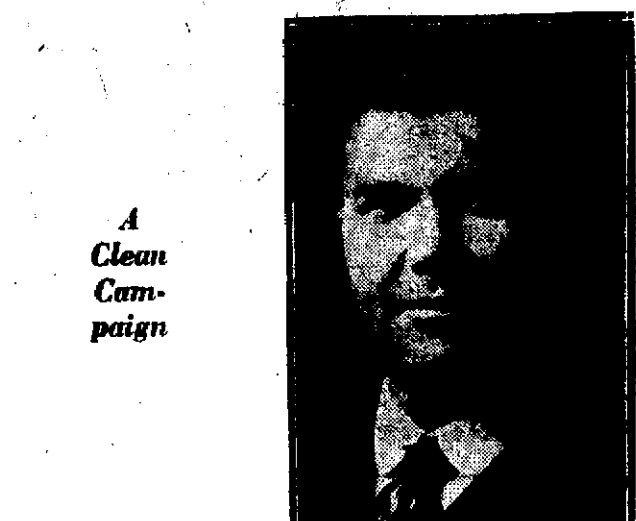
If persons in Decatur who have planned to vote for me, decide not to do so because somebody whom they don't like is known to favor me, I know the only reason why I will not be the lowest man on the ticket will be because they don't know all my friends, for I am confident I have many in every group and alignment, and I am glad of it.

On this Easter morning I appeal to you for support upon the ground that I am four-square upon all moral questions, have the honesty of purpose to do the best thing for all parts of the city and am ready to help anybody with city business to transact. I don't want your vote if you object to such qualifications, for I do not expect to become anything different if elected.

James W. Montgomery

Commissioner of
Accounts and Finances
Candidate for Re-election

When we vote for Mayor, let's also vote for a man for this department who has had managing experience, who has shown sufficient ability, and whose purpose is to make a success of the next administration. I do not claim to possess all the ability, nor to be the only one who has ability, but I do suggest that my re-election will be a safe and sensible settlement of this perplexing problem, so far as this department is concerned, because, whoever is elected Mayor, you will find me co-operating with him for the good of our city.



A
Clean
Campaign

for
A
Clean
Purpose

We have the Lake— Let's keep it pure

and make it available for the benefit and the enjoyment of the people

As Mayor of Decatur, I shall strive for the primary essentials which, we know, must spell health and happiness for its entire citizenry. Briefly, I feel that we must Capitalize the Lake

This wonderful asset, the only lake of its kind and size in Illinois, must be available to everyone. It must be kept pure and clean and also offer health and recreation for all. I will make it my duty to exploit this great civic blessing to the best interest of all.

Extend Our Sewage Program
I recognize, with you, the crying need for a complete

sewage system. We must have it to preserve the purity of our lake. It must serve all parts of the city alike. I will exert my best efforts in behalf of adequate sewers. If further state laws are necessary, I shall work for them, having always in mind the avoidance of further taxation and an impartial distribution of the benefits from this improvement.

Other Issues to Be Discussed
These things are of vital importance to Decatur. Other live issues for which I stand will be discussed in later announcements. Very respectfully yours,

ELMER R. ELDER

Candidate for Mayor



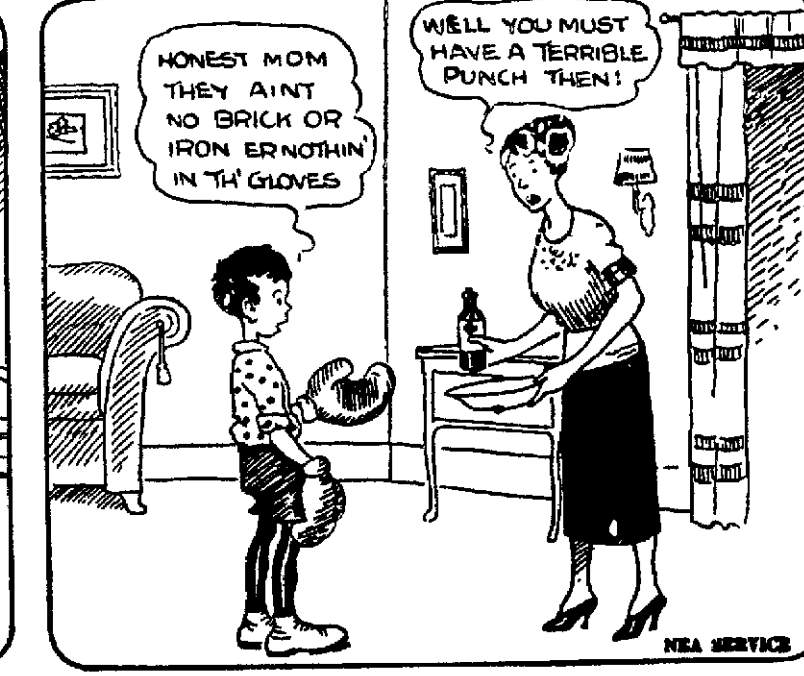
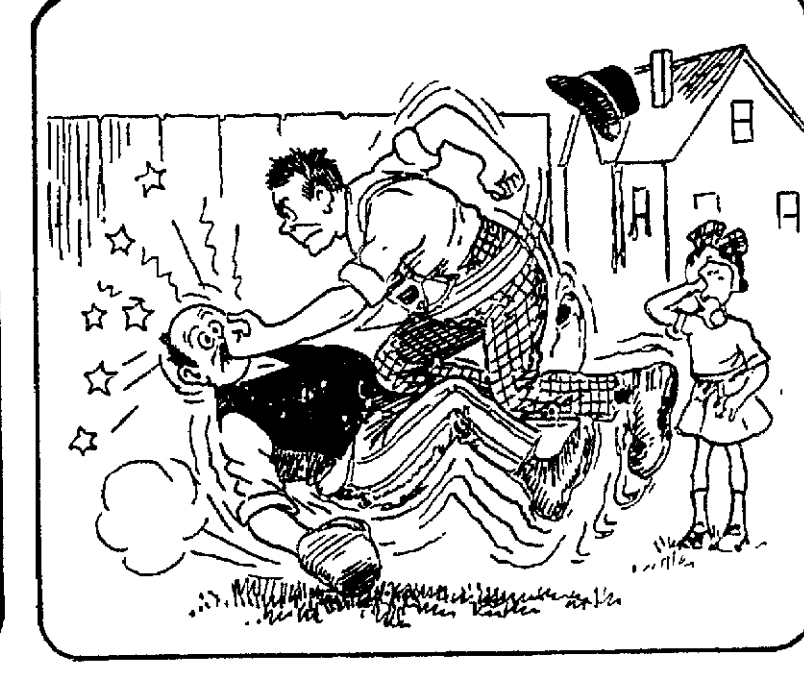
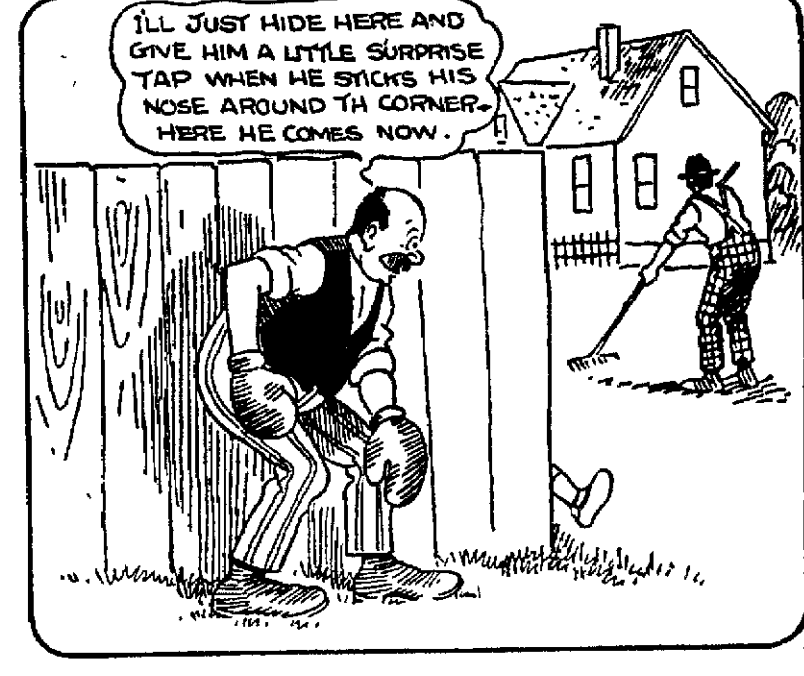
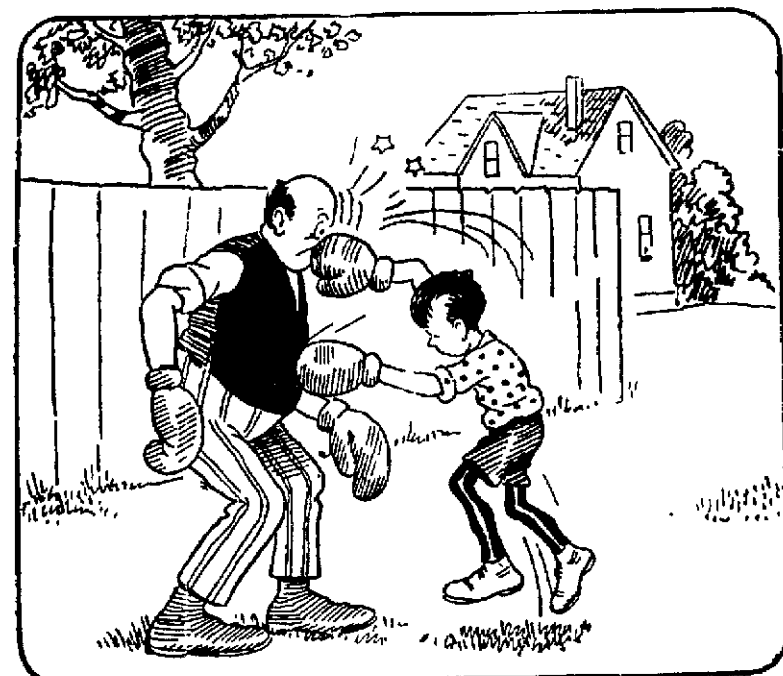
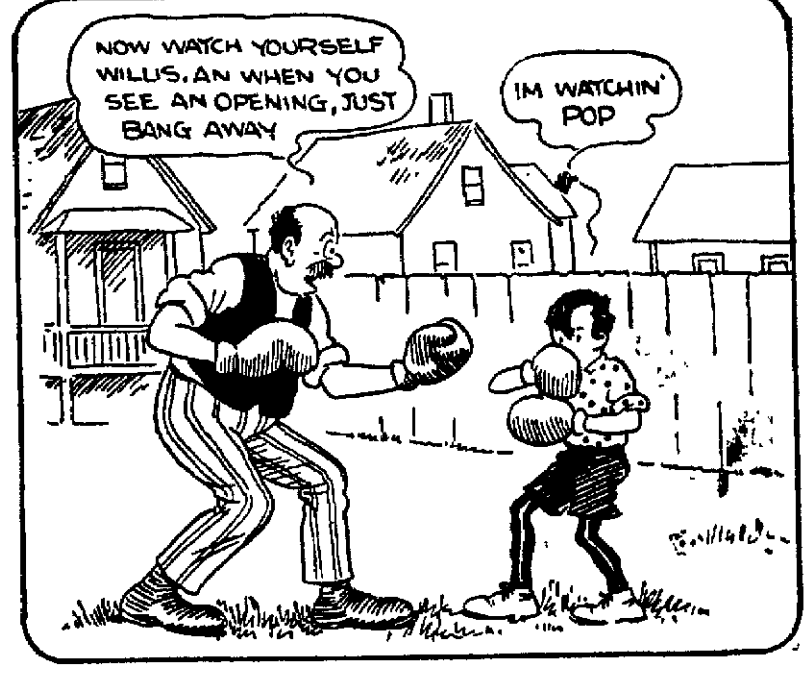
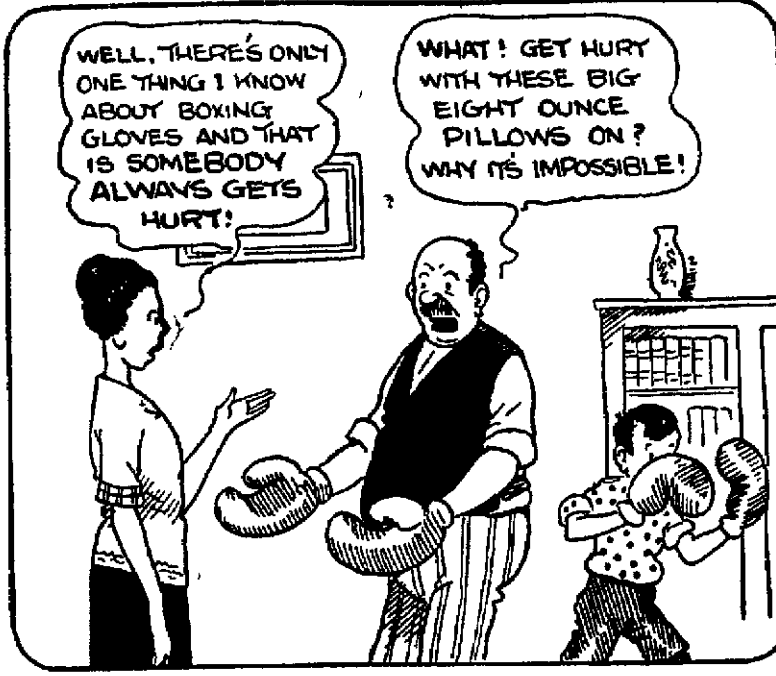
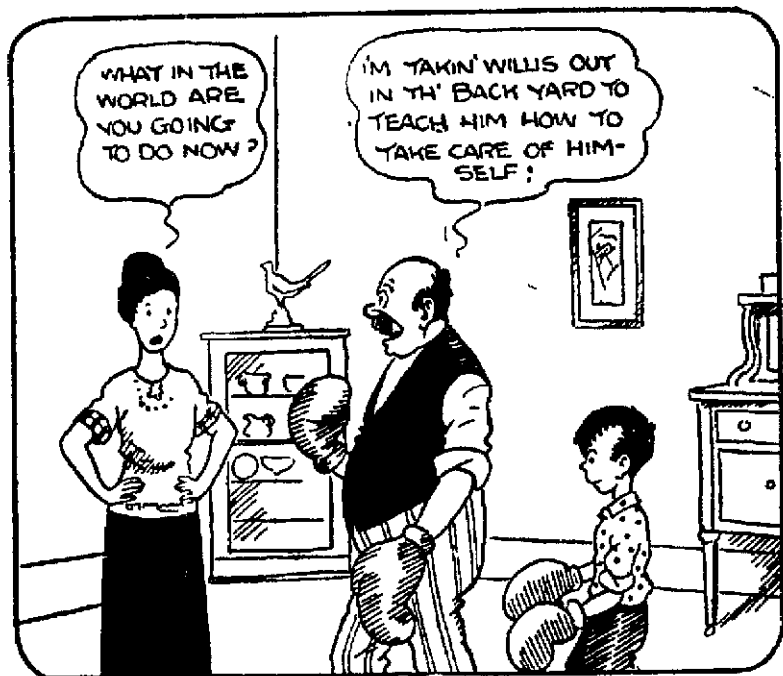
PHILIP KAYSER Candidate For COMMISSIONER

General Foreman for the Decatur Bridge Company for 17 years; inspector of steel construction for Staley's during the 2 years the greater part of this large industrial plant was erected; and have had years of experience in construction work.

I PLEDGE MYSELF, IF ELECTED, TO A PROGRAM OF ECONOMY AND EFFICIENCY IN THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE CITY; AND WILL CO-OPERATE WITH MY ASSOCIATES ON THE CITY COUNCIL TO SECURE AN IMPARTIAL AND EFFICIENT BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION.

I WILL GIVE FULL SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT TO WHICH I MAY BE ASSIGNED, AND AT THE SAME TIME DEVOTE MY BEST EFFORTS TOWARD CO-OPERATION BETWEEN ALL DEPARTMENTS, AND PROMOTE THE WELFARE OF THE ENTIRE CITY.

I solicit and will appreciate your support.

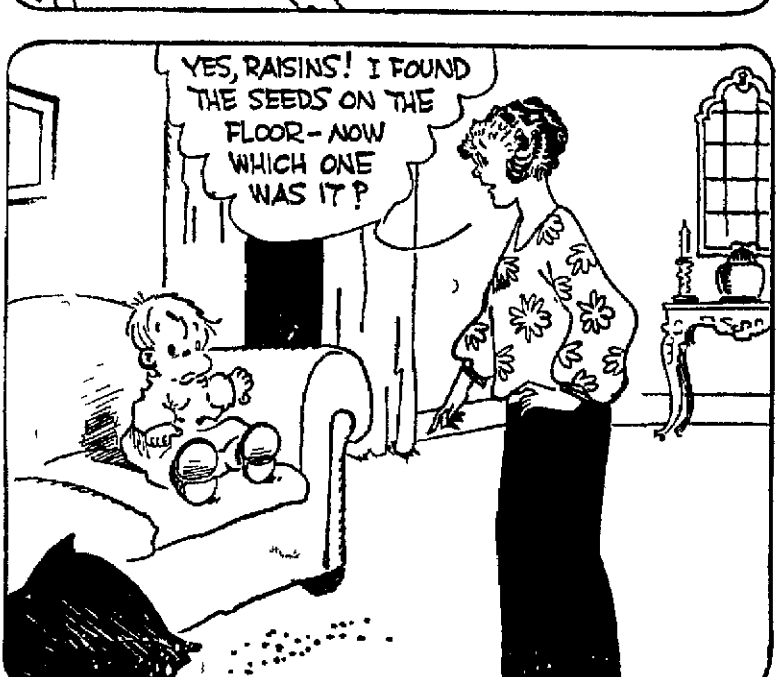
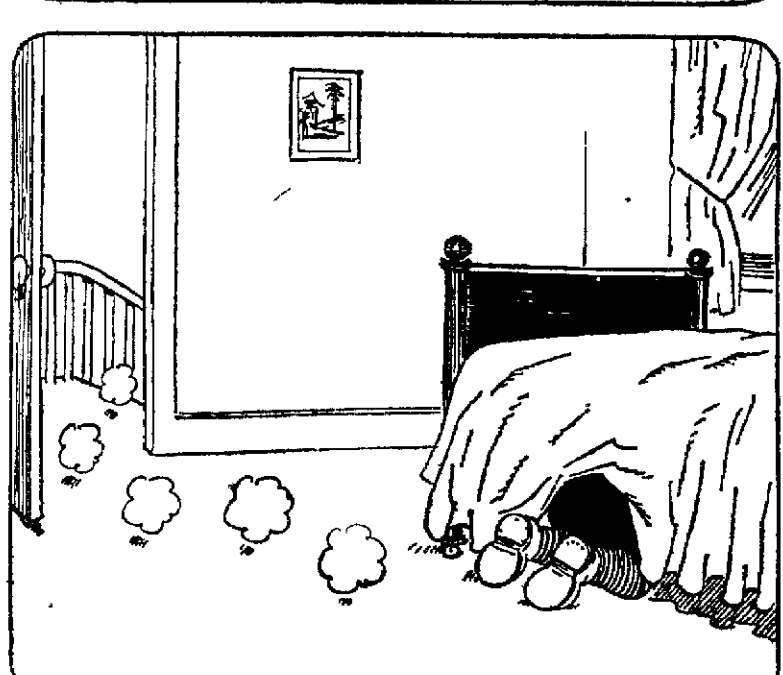
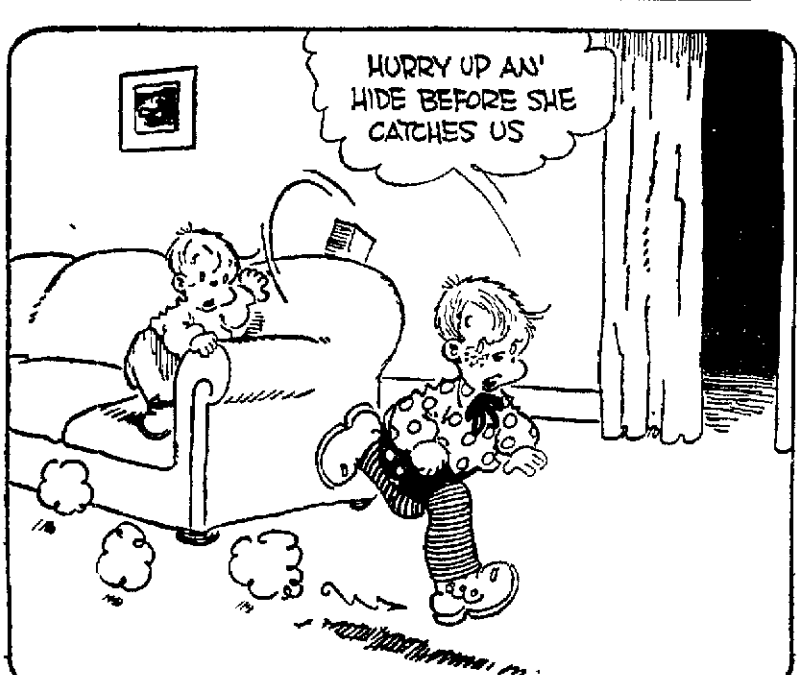
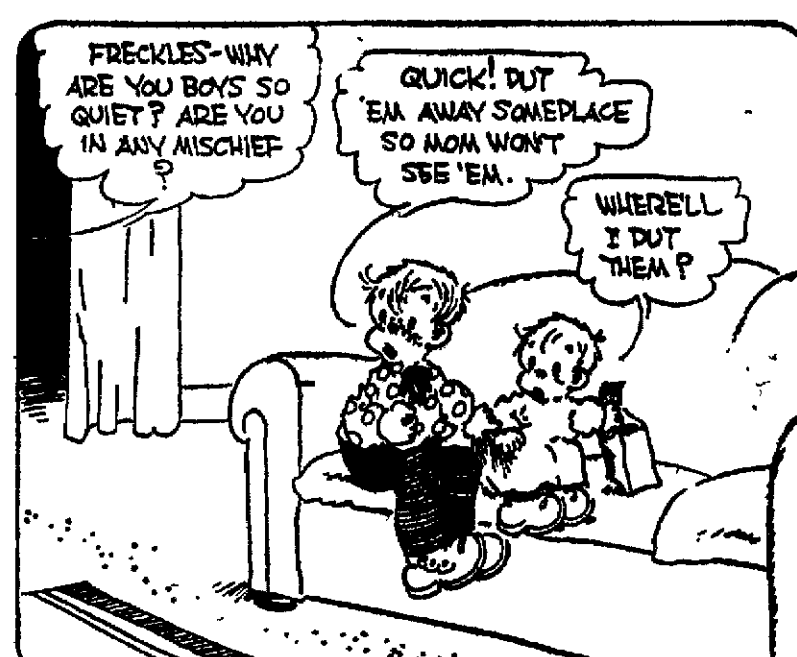
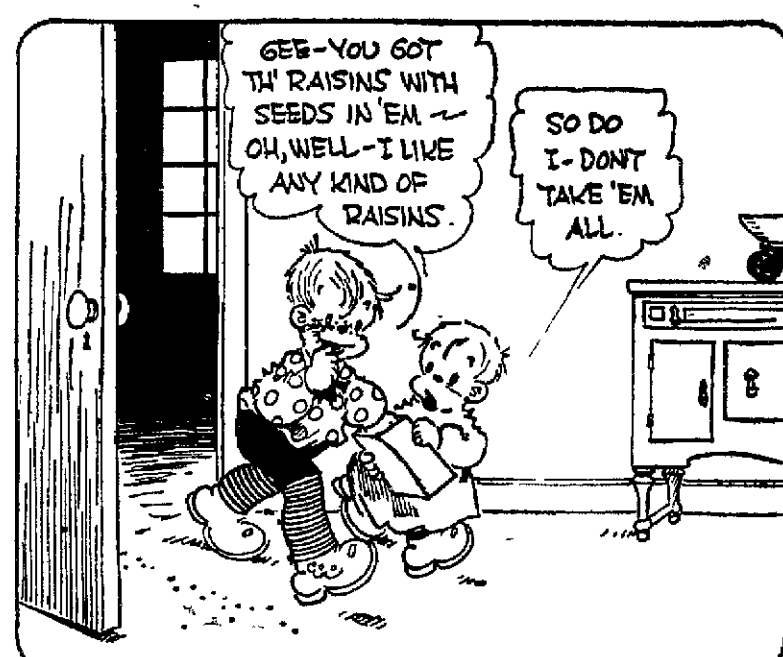
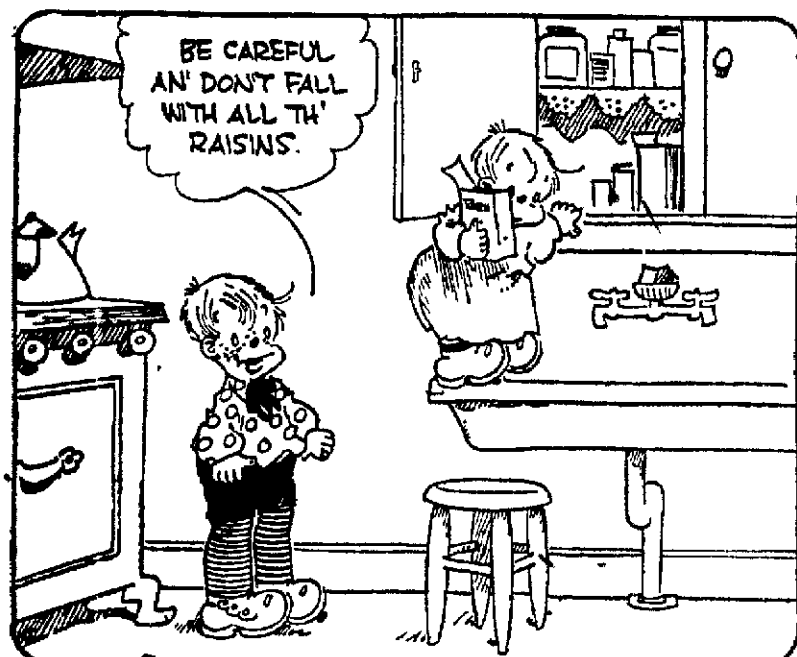


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'WOULD STOP FOLLOWIN'
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DECATUR
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April 1, 1923



Stage Fails in Attempt To Emulate Movies

Plays With Many Scenes, Tricks and "Flash-Backs" Have Hard Time.

BY JAMES W. DEAN.

New York, March 31.—Stage producers who have maintained an attitude of condescension toward the movie have simply been whistling to themselves. The commercial side of the stage is trying to ape the technique of the cinema art and is failing miserably.

The price for "The Gully One" is two dollars. Best seats in the house for "The Gully One" musical comedy sell for \$2.50. Admission to "The Gully One" has dropped from \$3.00 to three dollars. Many of the productions next season will have a top price of two dollars.

The movie theaters with their elaborate orchestras and elaborate production have brought this about. The stage is trying to ape the technique of the cinema art and is failing miserably.

"The Gully One" with its trick stage was an attempt to tell a story in 40 scenes. Confirmed movie fan laughed in scorn at its lack of continuity.

"Roger Bloomer" employing aerial planes and trick curtains and light effects to project a play many scenes also proved a failure.

The more effective plays of the current season are those that have followed the traditional technique of the stage. That technique is centuries old. It would be well for the stage producers to stay within their recognized province and allow the movie to do its own thing.

The latest play to attempt the flash-back action is "The Wasp". Of course, that sort of thing has been done before on the stage but it has never been so gracefully done as on the screen which benefits through the fade-in and fade-out mechanics of the camera.

In the first act of "The Wasp" Otto Kruger seeks revenge for the death of his younger brother nine years before. In the second act he is the younger brother.

There isn't much illusion in that situation. However, this is another of those plays filled with lightning bolts, pistol shots, murders and outrages. Perhaps that excuses its artificiality.

In "Sandro Botticelli" Eva Le Gallienne is supposed to drop her cloak and stand forth in the nude before the artist. She has told him that she will do that so that he may

paint her, but that really isn't her purpose. How do you suppose the Provincetown players got away with that sort of thing on the stage?

Simple enough! Miss Le Gallienne stood behind a very high chair when she let it all go. If one had a pull active in imagination there

might have been some thrill to that situation. But a regular attendant at the theater has little imagination—there's the pity.

And did Botticelli paint the beautiful girl? That's just what she did. He painted feverishly to set down the beauty of her form upon canvas. That made the beautiful maiden feverish, so she rushed out into the unkind elements and fell ill and died. But her beauty was preserved on the canvas.

Despite censorship the movie is able to at least give the illusion of nudity without resort to high chairs.

ance of John Golden with a company the head of which is Frank Craven, the author and leading character.

With a record of over 700 performances in New York and six months in Chicago this company assures Decatur of a production of the quality of "Thank-U" and "Lightnin'".

COHAN COMEDY.

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CHARLIE, MINUS MUSTACHE, AND FUNNY SHOES, DIRECTS



CHAPLIN AS DIRECTOR COACH—IS AN ACTOR IN "THE SERIOUS"

"RED FLAMINGO" TWICE MONDAY

Many Seats Sold By Legion Members.

BY U. OF I. STUDENTS

Sixty in Cast Coming to Decatur.

A final check-up Saturday night on the seat sale for "The Red Flamingo," the University of Illinois student opera that appears in Decatur Monday afternoon and evening under the auspices of The American Legion, shows that the Legionnaires that have been selling the tickets have made a thorough canvass of the town. The evening performance should be a packed house and the boys are hoping that the matinee crowd will be as large, for the financial success of the show depends on the matinee seat sale.

SPECIAL REHEARSAL

Over in Champaign the cast has been putting on special rehearsals in preparation for the Decatur appearance. After three performances before Champaign audiences that won the highest of favorable criticism the boys have not allowed themselves to go stale and are keeping keeled up to give their Decatur audiences the best that they have.

In speaking of the Saturday night performance in Champaign, The News-Gazette says: "It is not merely a jumbled burlesque of chorus girls' routine, but a clever, complete, captivating show given by a cast of characters who took seriously their task of being comical, and attained a perfection which, save for the basso

voices of the 'ponies' and 'showgirls' would have been a credit to a Broadway show."

The cast of over sixty characters and a cat-load of special scenery will arrive in Decatur Monday morning so as to be ready for the matinee performance.

Marshall Nollan has taken the part of "The Eternal Three," to "Champion" Mex to film scenes President Obregon's castle will be filmed and he may appear in several scenes.

Camel Myers is in the cast of "King Tut".

Milton Sills will be leading man in "The Scilla Dean's next".

Waldemar Young is adapting "Salome Jane" for the screen George McLeod will direct.

Lillian Lawrence plays with Buster Keaton in "The Three Ages."

Robert Ellis is art director for "Captain Applejack," being filmed by Fred Niblo.

The Leaky reading department at Hollywood has been abolished and that office will pay no more uncollected manuscripts.

Chaplin Attempts to Get Laughs From Tragedy

"Nothing Funnier Than Life," Says Star in Explaining New Film.

BY JACK JUNGMEYER.

Hollywood, Cal., March 31.—"Public Opinion," being produced under direction of Charles Chaplin, is another symptom of growing pains in the development of the motion picture toward a full artistic stature.

It is the comedy king's first venture into serious drama, starring Edna Purviance. While he does not appear in the play, it will reveal in theme and craftsmanship a Chaplin strikingly different from the pantomime genius whom the world knows in pictures.

NO FORMAL PLOT.

Kicking off his floppy shoes, he leaps far from the conventional screen production rut. In concept, structure and handling of what he terms the most important venture of his career, "Public Opinion," to be completed in June, is without formal plot, thus defying literary convention.

It is without hero or villain, commands neither virtue nor vice, and flaunts moral tradition. It proceeds on the thesis that man as an individual is not master of his fate.

STORY OF FRANCE

The character portrayed by Miss Purviance is a demimondaine in France, where the story is laid. Her

SUCCESSOR?

Not much material, in this melange of raw passions, bitterness and misunderstanding, to evoke comedy. And yet Chaplin says it will get as many laughs as any comedy he has done, because of its novel subjective treatment.

"The audience, if I hit my mark, will chuckle while the characters weep, and will weep while the characters laugh," predicts Chaplin.

"There is nothing funnier than life, despite all of its tragedies, when viewed as a spectacle, and that is how this piece is presented."

"Human beings," elucidating his underlying philosophy—"are neither heroes nor villains; neither good nor bad, and are not to be held personally accountable for actions resulting in tragedy."

"They are straws swayed from the outside by the social entity to which individuals are chained, and by public opinion. I don't necessarily mean press or church, state or mob but the influence of any person, group, custom, tradition or social gesture."

DRAMA OF REACTIONS.

It is a drama of reactions instead of action. Effects are developed for the audience from mental processes of players rather than the stark facts of death and obstacles. Every character and situation, Chaplin stresses, has been built on psychological foundations.

"Public Opinion" doesn't attempt

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J. M. U. SENIOR PLAY PROMISES SUCCESS

Class to Present "Dulcy" on
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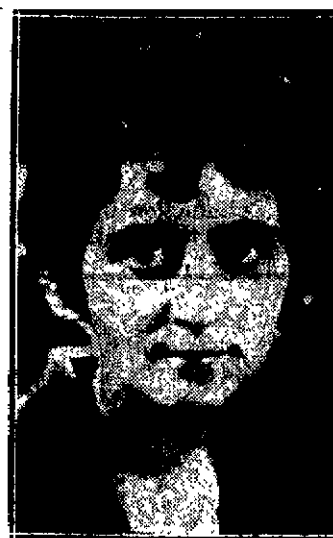
"Dulcy," the class play of the class of 1922 at James Millikin University, will be presented in the J. M. U. Auditorium on Thursday, April 12. This production is a play that introduces some new types of stage personalities, and promises to be just as successful when given here in Decatur as its first night in Indianapolis where the humanistic characterism, the gay satire and the unusual humor

made this comedy an immediate success. IS ENTERTAINING. It will be remembered that Lynn Fontaine took the leading part in this production for the year that it ran in New York City. The plot of the play is laid not far from the center of that great city and the delightful little plot which is woven into the play portrays the unique characters in an especially entertaining manner. The comedy was written by George S. Kaufman and Marie Connelly with an introduction by Booth Tarkington. WILL BE FITTED FOR PARTS. The leading characters for the play are well fitted for their parts. Both Miss Dorothy Davis, who takes the title role, and Clarence Deakins, who plays opposite her, have had considerable stage experience which will help make the senior production a

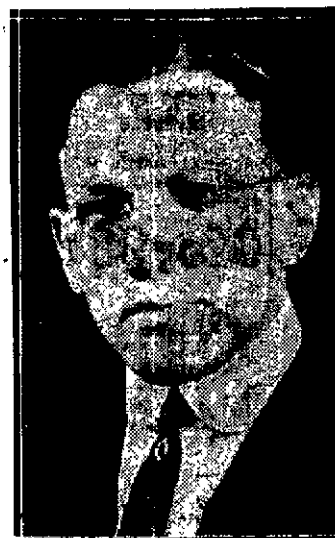
IN CAST FOR MILLIKIN PLAY



MISS DOROTHY DAVIS.
Miss Davis takes the part of Dulcy, a loving wife, whose plans, though well meant, embroil everyone in difficulties.



MISS LEITHA SCHROLL.
Miss Leitha Schroll, as Mrs. Forbes, is an easy victim of Dulcy's intrigues.



WALTER MITCHELL.
Walter Mitchell plays the part of C. Roger Forbes, a self-made jewelry manufacturer, with a tempestuous personality.

success. Miss Davis took a leading part in "The Charm School," presented at Millikin last year, where she gained the admiration of her audience through the splendid acting of this part. Miss Davis' role in "Dulcy" will give her added opportunity to display her ability in a humorous part of this well written comedy.

Clarence Deakins plays opposite Miss Davis as Gordon Smith, her husband, an alert young business man with worry just settling on his shoulders. Mr. Deakins has also had previous experience in dramatics and handles his part with marked ability.

CAST.
The entire cast is as follows:
Dulcy—Dorothy Davis.
Gordon Smith, her husband—Clarence Deakins.
William Park, her brother—Robert Wait.

C. Roger Forbes—Walter Mitchell.
Mrs. Forbes—Leitha Schroll.
Angela Forbes—Helen Hays.
Tom Sterrett—T. Dale Yoder.
Vincent Leach—Gilbert Payson.
Blair Patterson—Lester Schroll.
Schuyler Van Dyke—Gloyd Moffett.
Henry—Fayette Norwiese.

The play is being coached by Miss Tilia Thomas of the Decatur High school. The cast has been practicing under her direction for several weeks, and the final performance on April 12 promises to be a decided success.

Tickets may be secured from any member of the senior class or by writing J. T. Wilkes at the university. Reservations may be made Monday, April 3, at Haines and Eslick's or at the College Supply Store. The prices have been set as 75c for the main floor seats and 50c for balcony.

Buffalo Was The First Road Maker

(Continued from Page 25)

The Indian knew where he wanted to go and the best way to get there but he never improved a road. He never even blazed a trail. He collected toll tax sometimes but he never applied it to the betterment of roads.

If a tree fell across the trail he climbed over it, crept under it or went around it. He used the buffalo trail when practicable and when not he made a trail of his own. The Indian trails were narrow. The Indians traveled single file with moccasined feet and their trails were not the sharply bent highways of the buffalo trail.

MISSING DECATUR.
Singularly the buffalo trail and the Indian trails missed the site of Decatur. A number of them centered in Danville, in Peoria, in Kaskaskia, in Vincennes and other places. Decatur was not on that early road map. It is certain that there were no Indian villages in Macon county of which we have any account and Decatur was not on the established routes of the great Indian hunting or war parties nor were there buffalo trails in this county. It was a sort of out-of-the-way, back water country during the period of the buffalo and the Indian and the country of the Sangamon remained an unknown region for a good many years after the coming of white settlers from the east.

THREE HISTORIC ROADS.
The first three Illinois roads of which we have any historical mention were the old Fort Massac road which ran north from Fort Massac on the Ohio river, the Kaskaskia trace and the Buffalo Gap road. These roads converged into or crossed each other in the southern third of Illinois. There is no doubt that they were for the most part originally Indian trails or buffalo trails. They were later used by the French traders and French missionaries in going to and from the French settlements at Kaskaskia, Fort Massac and Vincennes. These historic roads saved us from being Canadians today and Illinois from being a province of the Dominion of Canada. It was on the morning of the 25th of June, 1778, that General George Rogers Clark with his army of 175 Virginians and Kentuckians set out from Fort Massac and by following these roads in six days marched 120 miles and surprised, and captured Kaskaskia. Later Vincennes was captured and all

of this territory was wrested from British rule by one of the most remarkable campaigns in American history.

LOSE PATHS.
It is not strange that these old roads had become almost indistinguishable in places. On the third day of the March Clark's force came into Phelps prairie in what is now Williamson county. It was here that John Phillips, a guide who had been impressed into service, became confused and it soon became apparent that he was totally lost. The path had become overgrown and the guide completely lost his bearings. Clark suspected a ruse and under dire threats Phillips continued his search until the path was found. For the rest of the way the road was plain.

BOND ISSUE ROUTES.
Some of the present state bond issue routes almost exactly follow these trails traveled by Clark and his Virginians. No doubt that the State Historical Society will see that they are appropriately marked. Then we will make pilgrimages to that old George Rogers Clark trail.



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Montgomery county is waking up to road improvement and this year for the first time will grade and oil the state aid roads. The county has levied a tax of 12 cents on the \$100 for this purpose and this will yield a revenue of \$13,000. There are nineteen townships in the county and two good sized cities, Hillsboro, the county seat with a population of 5,174, and Litchfield with 6,215 people. Both cities have numerous factories and are growing rapidly. State bond issue route No. 14 crosses the county from Pana to Litchfield. Part of this is slated for construction this year and other portions have been located.

COLES COMPLETES RIGHTS FOR ROUTE 25

Thirty deeds for right of way for state bond issue route No. 25 were filed in Charleston Thursday by Frank E. Bishop, superintendent of highways for Coles county. These transfers provide the right of way for the state road from Mattoon to the north line of Coles county. A new location was required for the

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road for the entire distance, about twelve miles. The amount of land purchased was about eighty-six acres and the total cost was \$19,000. The total was made up from the following sources:
Citizens of Mattoon \$6,250
Mattoon township 6,000
Citizens of Humbolt township 2,500
Humbolt township 4,750

Of 1341 pictures imported by Brazil in the past year 1038 were from the United States and the remaining 303 were divided among twelve countries.

Equipped for It.
Boston Evening Transcript—Sht (describing Canadian trip)—"Then

we watched a boat shoot the rapids." He—"Ah, a gunboat, I presume."

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TAX RECEIPTS ARE DIVIDED EACH DAY

Amount in Each Fund Is Shown Every Night.

TO PREPARE RECEIPTS

Will All Be Made Out By Next Paying Time.

Here is the way we keep the tax accounts," said B. F. Coffman, county treasurer, Friday as he spread out the great book on which the tax receipts are divided every day and allotted to the different tax funds and each fund and each township is credited with its quota every day, the total being carried forward each night to the next day.

COLUMNS FOR DIFFERENT FUNDS.

The book, which has a page probably thirty inches wide, has columns for the division of the receipts into state, county, township, road and bridge, corporation tax, sanitary district, non-high school, school and school districts and the tuberculosis sanitarium funds.

Each day this process is carried forward so that each night the amount in each fund is shown accurately and fully.

PLAN IS SUCCESS.

The success of the plan of making out the personal tax receipts in triplicate and mailing one copy to each tax payer has been marked.

So successful has this plan been that Treasurer Coffman is already making plans for putting the same system into use for the real estate tax receipts next year.

PREPARE IN ADVANCE.

"There are more than 50,000 real estate tax receipts needed for Decatur real estate," said Mr. Coffman, "and we plan now to have these made out by tax paying time next year. After the assessment is made and the board of review completes its work in August there will still remain four months in which to prepare the real estate receipts for next year. While there will be some changes in ownership they will not be so numerous as to cause any serious loss in effort through having made out the receipts on this year's basis.

"We believe that this will speed up the whole tax collecting system without adding materially to the expense of the office as the work can be done in the time of year when there is little other work."

DECATUR PICNIC IN LOS ANGELES APR. 14

Committee Providing for 600 People.

The annual picnic of the Decatur and Macon County society of Southern California will be held at Sycamore Grove, in Los Angeles, on Saturday, April 14.

WANT CO-OPERATION.

The committee in charge is endeavoring to make this the largest gathering of Decatur and Macon county people ever held in the south-

land, and asks the cooperation of all residents of Decatur and Macon County in getting word of this picnic to all their friends and relatives who are now in Southern California. Any who have friends or relatives living or now visiting in Southern California are asked to write them and advise them of the date of this picnic, or send their name and present address to either Alva Johnson, 325 Catalina street, or Clyde Bankson, 668 North Kenmore, Los Angeles, who will immediately get in touch with them.

This is to be an old fashioned, all day basket picnic—Lunch will be at 12:30, and a whole day of pleasant association with old friends in store. The committee will furnish coffee and ice cream. Visitors will bring their own lunch, dishes, etc.

EXPECT 600.

Provisions are being made for at least 600 people at this picnic. Last year over 300 were present.

OFFICERS.

The present officers of this society are:

President—William Downey; secretary, Alva Johnson; treasurer, Frank Whitmer.

HIGH SCHOOL P.-T. A. TO HAVE BANQUET

Expect 600 to Attend Event April 13.

Plans are being made by the High School Parent-Teachers' association for a banquet to be held on the evening of Friday, April 13, in the high school gymnasium. It is hoped to have at least 600 of the parents present at this event. Parents of all high school pupils are urged to come. The teachers of the school also will attend the banquet.

Tickets will be put on sale this week. They will cost 75 cents. The banquet will be served at 6:30 o'clock. There will be a program of music and toasts.

The Parent-Teachers' association will have its regular meeting Thursday afternoon in Room 110 at the high school, and at this time further plans for the banquet will be made. Election of officers also will take place.

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MONDAY MONEY-SAVERS

\$1.00 Dish Pans Blue and white lined enamel dish pans—11 quart size—	Galvanized Water Pails 14 quart galvanized Water Pails, worth 35c each—Monday price—	Cups and Saucers Plain white cups and saucers, worth 25c each, special Monday—
69c	25c	6 for 98c

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Stewart Satisfaction in Every Purchase—Which Means Your Satisfaction or Your Money Back.

BIG BASEMENT BARGAINS

\$1.00 Wash Tubs No. 2 size galvanized Wash Tubs, extra quality, for Monday only—	\$2.00 Wash Boilers Hand made galvanized Wash Boilers with wood handles—Monday price—	\$3.50 Wash Boilers L. X. Tin Wash Boilers, hand made, with 11 oz. copper bottom and wood handles—
69c	\$1.39	\$2.39

Monday Shoppers Get Matchless Bargains

All Departments Contribute Specially Selected Values for This Timely Spring Sale

A Real Money-Saving After-Easter Sale of

Coats and Suits

A WONDERFUL opportunity for those who did not buy for Easter. For here are garments that in style and value, are not duplicated elsewhere in Decatur. This is one of the seasons biggest and best offerings in really fine, fashionable apparel for women and misses.

The Coats come in plaids, over-checks and plain camel's hair, home-spuns and novelty mixtures. The Suits in blue and tan Poiret twills and tricotees; also sports models of camel's hair.

Each of these is a value seldom offered early in the season. Our stocks in some styles and sizes are limited and we cannot assure the fullest selections to late shoppers. You will note that the feature price is very low.

VALUES UP TO \$37.50

\$24.95

DRESSES Canton crepe printed crepe, fine taffetas and a few lace and wool dresses, in an unusually attractive assortment of clever modes and good colors. Some of these dresses actually sold up to \$60, which is full assurance of the extra fine values to be found in this special group at

\$24.95

DRAPERIES and RUGS

OUR Drapery department is teeming with crisp, new spring merchandise, which will be one of the foremost points in the housekeeper's mind this week. You may rest assured that there will be no greater values shown in Decatur, in any store, than those at Stewart's.

For Monday and Tuesday Selling

—36-inch, two-tone novelty curtain nets in barred and floral effects, in large range of patterns—60c values, a yard.....	49c
—45-inch, two-tone novelty curtain nets in the newest 1923 patterns—85c values will be priced at, the yard.....	65c
—42, 45 and 48-in. Quaker tuscan nets in plain and figured mesh, best finish, heavy weight, \$1.35 to \$1.50 values at	\$1.00
—\$4.00 quality, two-tone novelty curtains, 2½ yards long, 45 inches wide, barred and floral effects—a pair.....	\$3.25
—\$7.50 extra fine two-tone curtains, 2½ yards long, 45 inches wide, in new and artistic designs—a pair.....	\$5.95

OUR Stock of art cretonnes and art silks is complete, from the lowest price cretonne to the finest imported brocade silks. We have expert designers who will not only advise you regarding your draperies, but will also make them up for you. Decatur's finest homes are relying on our services for fine draperies.

7½x9 Brussels rugs, Alexander Smith and Sons' make, in blue, rose, and tan designs.....

\$19.50

9x12 Axminster rugs—new, snap patterns in tan, rose, blue and brown—specially priced at.....

\$36.50

9x12 Brussels rugs in blue, rose, tan and brown combinations—we show many patterns at.....

\$22.50

9x12 extra quality, heavy weight Brussels rugs, in practically all good colors, now priced.....

\$39.50

9x12 heavy quality Axminster rugs.....

\$42.50

9x12 best quality Axminster rugs.....

\$52.50

11-3x12 heavy quality Axminster rugs.....

\$49.00

Neponset Rugs and Floor Coverings



Estimates Cheerfully Furnished.

A GREAT purchase of Bird's Neponset rugs and floor coverings—water-proof—enables us to offer a complete line of this well-known merchandise at savings of about one-third. Note the prices:

6x9 ft.	7½x9 ft.	9x10½ ft.	9x12 ft.
\$7.45	\$9.35	\$12.25	\$14.35

Bailey's Lino. Excellent floor covering, 6 ft. wide, worth 68c a yard—at our special price, 50c square yard.....

Neponset Many patterns, and worth regularly 95c a yard. Monday and Tuesday, 64c a yard for.....

Cork Linoleum 6 ft. wide, with heavy burlap back. Worth \$1.50 square yard, but now specially priced at.....

75c

New Wall Papers

IS THE PAPER to match or to harmonize with any particular scheme? Our stock is so complete that you will have no difficulty in finding the exact paper you want. And in the matter of price, you know that Stewart's sets the low price pace for the entire community.

Bed Room Papers These come in very pretty all over, floral and striped patterns, in a great number of dainty colors for bedrooms. Papers worth up to 16c, specially priced at

8c A Roll

Plain 30-inch Oatmeal Papers ESPECIALLY PRETTY PAPERS IN DARK BROWN AND blue and tan and gray (sold with cut-out borders) at a roll.....

12½c

Tapestry and Two-Toned Effects DESIGNED PARTICULARLY FOR PARLORS AND DINING rooms. Sold regularly up to 32c—for Monday and Tuesday, a roll.....

17c

Beautiful 40c Tapestries VERY CHOICE PAPERS. SOFT TONES OF GRAY AND rose in rich tapestry designs, for living rooms. Our regular 40c grades—now priced at a roll.....

28c

Regular \$1 Heavy Pressed Papers IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC HEAVY PRESSED PAPERS for dining rooms, halls and bath rooms—\$1.00 quality, for only, a roll.....

69c

Bring your measurements and we will gladly furnish estimates on the above or other papers of your choice. We also furnish reliable paperhangers.

New Materials for Spring Apparel

\$1.95 Paisley Crepes, \$1.69	\$2.95 French Serges, \$2.50
36-inch half silk crepes in all new Paisley patterns and newest combinations. 10 patterns to select from, special price, yard.....	54-in. fine, all wool, double warp, close twill serge, spring weight, will pleat nicely. Brown, navy, black—a bargain at, yard.....
\$1.69	\$2.50
\$14.50 Gray Genora, \$12.50	\$4.50 Poiret Twill, \$3.95
54-in. beautiful quality, all wool, soft rich finish Genora, made especially for crepes, spring weight, drapes nicely, yd.....	54-in. all-wool in superb quality and fine twill. Much in demand and offered in midnight, navy, nutria and black, a yard.....
\$12.50	\$3.95
\$3.50—40 in. printed Paisley crepes in a great number of brilliant new color combinations.....	
\$3.50—40 in. Canton Crepe in new Spring colors—navy, brown, midnight, black and ivory.....	
\$3.50—40 in. Flat Thread Crepe, in midnight, navy, carmel, nutria, almond, green, black.....	
\$3.50—40 in. Satin Canton Crepe, excellent quality in blue, brown and black.....	
\$3.95—40 inch Spiral Crepe, in whirlpool blue and navy—certainly a big value at.....	
	\$2.95
	YARD

Paints, Brushes and Varnishes

At Great Savings

THERE is no place in Decatur where you can buy better paint, or at lower prices than at Stewart's. Certainly, this is good news to the many who are going to put a new Spring dress on the house or the interior woodwork. Just visit our basement and talk it over.

Household Ready-Mixed House Paint. Comes in all wanted colors; will dry with a nice, rich gloss, and is very durable—a gallon.....

\$1.89

Lon-Zim, 100% strictly pure linseed oil paint, 5-year guarantee. For both interior and exterior use, in white and 20 beautiful colors—a gallon.....

\$2.79

Master Painters Gloss White Enamel, suitable for bathroom or kitchen walls. Will dry over night with a high gloss—priced, a quart at.....

\$1.10

Floor and Woodwork Varnish—suitable for all interior woodwork. Dries with a very high gloss. Is priced very special now at—a gallon.....

\$2.25

A Paint Brush Special 98c

One of our best 3-inch brushes, set in rubber with extra long bristles, guaranteed not to come out—now priced at, each.....

98c

Monday Specials

UNTIL NOON ONLY

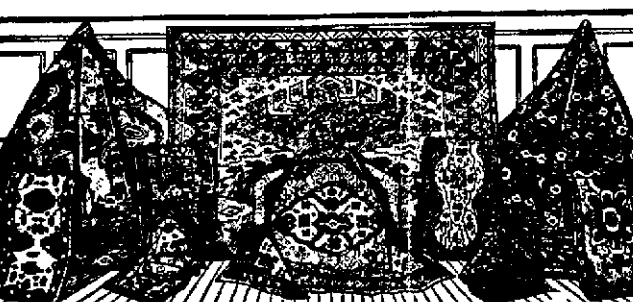
15c, fine 27-inch Muslin, UNBLEACHED—A YARD.....	9c
18c white Outing Flannel, (5 YD. LIMIT)—A YARD.....	10c
18c colored linen Handkerchief SQUARES—EACH.....	10c
25c bleached Hope Muslin (5 YD. LIMIT)—A YARD.....	15c
25c fast color pink Baby CHECKS—A YARD.....	12½c
39c Pillow Tubing, 40-In., A YARD.....	25c
75c silk Striped Shirting MADRAS—A YARD.....	39c
49c Pillow Cases, 42x36, MADE OF TUBING—EACH.....	35c
\$1.19 bleached Sheets, 72x90—SPECIAL AT.....	79c
\$1.79 bleached seamless SHEETS, 72x90—1 LIMIT, AT.....	\$1.00

Dollar Bargains for All Day Monday—Note the List Carefully

25c QUALITY, YARD-WIDE BLEACHED Muslin—7 yards for.....	\$1	35c LARGE SIZE TURKISH TOWELS, —4 for.....	\$1	38c BEST QUALITY CHEVIOT SHIRT, ing—5 yards for.....	\$1	35c BLEACHED PILLOW CASES, ALL sizes—4 for.....	\$1
16c YARD-WIDE UNBLEACHED Muslin—8 yards for.....	\$1	69c NICE QUALITY TABLE DAMASK, —2 yards for.....	\$1	25c YARD-WIDE PERCALES, FAST colors—5 yards for.....	\$1	\$1.39 IMPORTED, 45-IN. WHITE Swiss Organdy—a yard.....	\$1
45c PILLOW TUBING, IN ALL widths—3 yards for.....	\$1	\$1.39 ROUND SCALLOPED TABLE Cloth—each.....	\$1	38c YARD-WIDE BUNGALOW CRETONNES—5 yards for.....	\$1	25c RED STAR DIAPER CLOTH, 30-IN., —5 yards for.....	\$1
39c YARD-WIDE ENGLISH LONG Cloth—5 yard bolt for.....	\$1	22c FAST COLOR APRON GINGHAMS, —7 yards for.....	\$1	20c QUALITY WHITE OUTING FLANNEL—7 yards for.....	\$1	\$1.25 BLUE JAPANESE LUNCH CLOTHS, 48-inch—each.....	\$1
22c BLEACHED OR UNBLEACHED Crash—7 yards for.....	\$1	29c NEW SPRING DRESS GINGHAMS, —5 yards for.....	\$1	35c HEAVY, 36-INCH WHITE OUTING Flannel—4 yards for.....	\$1	GENUINE WHITE ROSE COTTON Balis—2 for.....	\$1

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